

GERMANS RETREAT IN BELGIAN BULGE

DRIVERS WANT COMFORTS IN POSTWAR CAR

STYLE SECONDARY IN SURVEY MADE BY NEWSPAPERS

BY RICHARD TOMPKINS
AP Newsfeatures Writer
Detroit, Jan. 8 (P)—The American motorist is conservative in his requirements for a postwar car. He may like streamlining but he doesn't want to sacrifice comfort and safety for appearance.

This is the consensus gathered in surveys conducted by four newspapers in the east, west, south and middle west, at the request of the Society of Automotive Engineers.

The results, as prepared for presentation tonight at the annual meeting of the SAE, were tabulated by representatives of the New York Times, New Orleans Times-Picayune, San Francisco Examiner and Chicago Herald-American.

Sedan Most Popular
The views offered by the readers of the four newspapers form a composite answer to the question: "What kind of automobile do you want in 1945?"

The four-door sedan is the most popular body type. And the motorists prefer plenty of head room to more rakish roofs on turtle and tear-drop designs. And they want little, if any, chrome plating.

They want more vision, too—larger windshields—and seats that are adjustable up and down, as well as forward and back, so they can get a better view of the road.

They want better ventilation, although they believe cooling systems are not worth the cost, and a large majority desire improved insulation against noise. Bumpers of uniform height on all cars to prevent interlocking, is another desired item.

On the question of ornamentation, one driver wrote to the New York Times:

"The average American doesn't want to drive a wedding cake to the office every day. Give us smooth shapes and lines but no tinsel please."

Roomier Front Seats
New Orleans, on the other hand, is colorful, and it wants its cars to blend with native hues.

Next to black, Chicago likes two-tone, then dark green. Californians would like seats convertible into beds for use on economy vacation trips. They also would like headlights that turn with front wheels, so as to shine on, rather than off, the roads on turns.

A great majority of American motorists want front seats roomy enough for three persons. Most of them are satisfied with the luggage space on present models. Some want the engine in the rear. Some think radios, heaters, clocks and cigarette lighters should be standard equipment.

City motorists favor no running boards; rural drivers want them to carry packages and suit cases. There was no question about speed. One did, however, suggest a warning buzzer when a certain speed is reached.

DR. HUMPHRIES RESIGNS

Lansing, Jan. 8 (P)—The state hospital commission today announced the resignation of Dr. Edward J. Humphries, its director of research, to become chief of the Bureau of Mental Hygiene of the Division of Mental Diseases of the Ohio Public Welfare department.

Weather

(Reported by U. S. Weather Bureau)

LOWER MICHIGAN: Clearing and very cold Tuesday. Wednesday increasing cloudiness and rising temperatures. Diminishing winds Tuesday.

UPPER MICHIGAN: Fair and very cold Tuesday, Wednesday increasing cloudiness and warmer. Gentle to moderate winds.

ESCANABA High 19 Low 2
Temperatures—Low Yesterday

*Indicates below zero.
Alpena 22 Los Angeles 54
Battle Creek 13 Marquette 16
Bismarck 13 Miami 68
Brownsville 47 Milwaukee 22
Buffalo 20 Minneapolis 22
Chicago 22 New Orleans 49
Cincinnati 25 New York 23
Cleveland 20 Omaha 31
Denver 42 Phoenix 39
Detroit 12 Pittsburgh 31
Duluth 13 St. Louis 27
Grand Rapids 18 St. Paul 27
Houghton 9 San Francisco 44
Jacksonville 63 Traverse City 21
Lansing 10 Washington 27



YANKS LOAD UP FOR COUNTER PUNCH
—First Army G. I.'s stock up on rifle grenades from a peep in Malmédy, Belgium, town square, getting ready for the big counter-offensive on the northern edge of the Germans' "Belgian bulge." (NEA Photo.)

Admiral Predicts Buzz Bomb Attack On Atlantic Coast

An East Coast Port, Jan. 8 (P)—A Nazi buzz bomb attack on the Atlantic coast is probable within the next two months, Admiral Jonas H. Ingham, commander in chief of the U. S. Atlantic fleet, said today.

Ingham, who said he came here aboard his flagship to take steps to cope with such an attack, succinctly declared at a press conference:

"It is possible and probable that the Germans will attempt to launch bombs against New York or Washington within the next 30 to 60 days."

But, he said, "There is no reason for anyone to become alarm-

WEATHER BREAK DUE WEDNESDAY

Howard Kenny Predicts Rise In Temperature By Tomorrow

(By The Associated Press)

Strong winds whipped a new cold wave into the middle west last night (Monday).

Forecasters said zero and sub-zero temperatures would be general throughout the area and issued a special cold wave warning, also predicting that snow flurries and moderately strong winds would accompany the temperature dips, which were quite sudden in some areas.

Winds heralding the cold wave reached 54 miles an hour at Omaha, Neb. Airplane traffic was halted there and many schools in the region were closed. Highways in Nebraska were glazed and in Iowa they were covered with snow and sleet. In parts of Indiana, many householders face the cold wave short of coal due to inability of yards to deliver.

Forecaster Howard Kenny in Chicago predicted, however, that the winds would diminish by late today (Tuesday) and that the temperature probably would rise tomorrow (Wednesday).

Union Organizer Upheld In Texas By Supreme Court

Washington, Jan. 8 (P)—The supreme court ruled unconstitutional today an effort by Texas to punish a union organizer for soliciting members without first registering with the state.

The decision, which recognized a state's right to regulate unions while frowning on the particular application of the Texas statute involved, was voted 5 to 4.

The court, in an opinion by Justice Rutledge, said Texas went too far by prosecuting R. J. Thomas, vice president of the CIO, for making a membership speech at an Oil Workers Union meeting in Pelly, Tex., shortly after the state adopted a comprehensive labor union regulations.

A section of the state law required labor organizers to sign up with the secretary of state. Thomas, a Detroit man, had not done so. He went to Pelly solely to make the speech. The supreme court held that the union had a right to meet, and its officials, "whether there for an occasion or sojourning longer," had a right to inform them. Thomas' invitation to membership was termed a necessary part of the speech.

NO PEACE YET AROUND ATHENS

Terms Offered ELAS Withdrawn; British Pursue Rebels

BY STEPHEN BARBER

Athens, Jan. 8 (P)—British armored forces pursuing the ELAS into the hills west and north of Athens were reported to have killed between 50 and 100 of the Left-wing guerrillas today in a battle in a narrow defile five miles south of Erithra, a hamlet at the edge of the Thebes plain.

(An Athens radio broadcast recorded by the FCC said British troops Monday afternoon captured the City of Thebes, 50 miles northwest of Athens.)

An estimated 1,500 ELAS still were holding out in the pass when heavy rain clouds closed down over Mt. Pateras and brought the fighting to a temporary halt.

In yesterday's fighting in the Eleusis area, 15 miles northwest of Athens, the British reported killing 63 ELAS and capturing 44. This did not include casualties inflicted by cannon-firing RAF planes.

Continued searching of houses in the Athens-Piraeus area today produced another 1,400 rifles, 80 machineguns, much small arms ammunition and grenades and 11 tons of explosives.

Lt. Gen. Ronald M. Scobie, British commander, announced that peace terms previously offered the ELAS had been withdrawn and that any future negotiations would be based on fair treatment for British prisoners held by the ELAS.

He said that his opinion was based on his own experience with the enemy, not on military intelligence reports.

However, his visit to this port, he said, was entirely due to the Navy's plan in taking precautionary measures to cope with such an attack. He said he could not divulge what these steps were.

"The Nazis have been threatening to launch robot bombs along our East coast," Ingham continued.

"Such an attack against New York or Washington for political purposes would naturally be welcomed by Mr. Goebbels.

"They have failed. They will fail again, for no matter what weapon the enemy may use we will wound him until he has been driven completely from the Atlantic."

CARGO VESSELS CLEAR AT SAULT

Ice-Crusher Leads Way To Open Water Of Lake Michigan

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Jan. 8 (P)—Three ocean-bound cargo vessels tonight were headed for the open water of Lake Michigan after having made an historic clearance through the Soo locks.

The carriers, vitally-needed for ocean shipping by the Army, Navy and War shipping administration, were sailing through channels in the lower St. Mary's River cleared of ice by the powerful new ice-breaker Mackinaw.

The ice-crusher got through more than 30 miles of river ice Monday and the convoy was below Sault Ste. Marie in the middle Neesh channel, Comm. T. A. Dahlburg of the U. S. Coast Guard reported.

The ice-cutter was shouldering a path through ice 10 to 12 inches thick in the lower river to provide lanes for the U. S. Maritime commission's 4,000-ton carriers Pemiscot, Hidalgo and William L. Nelson. The three ships were built in yards at Duluth-Superior and are en route to Chicago. They will sail through the Illinois waterway into the Mississippi and on to the Gulf of Mexico.

Passage through the Soo locks was the latest in Great Lakes navigation history. The previous last wintertime passage from Lake Superior to the lower lakes was on Dec. 26, 1904.

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SOVIETS STOP NAZIS HEADED FOR BUDAPEST

GARRISON TRAPPED IN CITY BEING ANNIHILATED

BY W. W. HERCHER

London, Tuesday, Jan. 9 (P)—Red army units driving on Komarom in southern Czechoslovakia pushed within 50 miles of the Austrian border yesterday, while other forces of the Second and Third Ukrainian armies farther south beat back undiminished German counterattacks and tightened their grip on the Nazi garrison trapped in Budapest, Moscow announced.

The Soviet communiqué said the westward advance in Czechoslovakia had reached Marczellhaza, a little more than seven miles from Komarom, a communications center on the Danube about 40 miles northwest of Budapest, and that six other Slovakian towns had been captured during the day.

Assaults Costly

German counterattacks on the south side of the Danube northwest of Budapest, aimed at relieving the surrounded garrison, were repulsed with heavy losses to the enemy, the Soviet communiqué broadcast from Moscow said.

An early morning report from the Soviets said that in fighting in this battle approximately 15 miles from the beleaguered capital, the Germans yesterday lost approximately 2,000 men.

Since the Germans began their counterattacks southeastward in an attempt to break through to the surrounded capital on January 2, the Russians have listed 498 enemy tanks as disabled or destroyed and almost 12,000 German troops killed.

The communiqué indicated the extent of Soviet progress inside Budapest by reporting capture of another 130 blocks, giving the Russians control of more than 1,900 of the city's 4,500 square blocks.

Crisis For Reds

In Budapest, by Russian account, 12,000 Germans and Hungarians have been killed in street and house fighting, 30,000 have been wounded and 5,430 captured.

Above the Danube in the third phase of the complicated campaign, Soviet Marshal Rodion Y. Malinovsky's troops advanced almost three miles and have reached points little more than seven miles from Komarom, Slovak communications center on the Danube.

There was no indication in either German or Russian reports that the Nazis had slackened their effort to break through to the trapped Budapest garrison, nor was there any sign that the garrison, striving to break through the Soviet siege ring was ready to capitulate.

Victory in either battle may mean the success or failure of the Red Army's Hungarian campaign. If the Russians succeed in annihilating the Budapest garrison before reinforcements reach it, they can turn their full strength to rolling the Nazis back to Austria.

But if the Nazis achieve their objective and break the siege, an entirely new face will be put on the Hungarian campaign and the Red army's westward drive will be materially delayed.

In the interval, Cpl. Riggins Earle a six-foot Negro driver of the Army truck, ran a quarter of a mile down the rural road alarming the countryside with the cry: "Bombs, bombs, take cover."

All the casualties were passengers on the Lutton-Hitchin bus, which had stopped near the scene. The dead were unidentified at a late hour and the list of injured was not yet disclosed.

Aussies Take Over In Pacific Islands By-Passed By Yanks

General MacArthur's Headquarters, Philippines, Tuesday, Jan. 9 (P)—The Aussies have taken over the islands behind the Pacific "front line."

Gen. Douglas MacArthur disclosed today that back in the Solomons, New Britain and British New Guinea areas Australian soldiers have relieved United States forces.

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Luzon Blasted In Pre-Invasion Aerial Attack

Tokyo Claims Of American Landings Not Yet Confirmed; Enemy Says 450 Transports On Move

BY JAMES HUTCHESON

General MacArthur's Headquarters, Philippines, Tuesday, Jan. 9 (P)—A 125-ton aerial blast at the island of Luzon, which the enemy radio insists already is under pre-invasion attack by American warships, was reported today by Gen. Douglas MacArthur.

The communiqué disclosed bombings of enemy airdromes but gave no confirmation of Nipponese reports that 450 American transports are moving on the prized island or that men-of-war have pounded Lingayan Gulf as if to prepare for landings there.

The communiqué said Liberator and Mitchell bombers hit Clark Field, 75 miles north of Manila, and airdromes around Batangas which is about 70 miles south of Luzon's chief city.

Twenty-six enemy planes were destroyed aground at Clark Field and two of six interceptors were downed.

These actions occurred Sunday, the day Tokyo radio said 70 warships shelled the Lingayan Gulf area for the second day in a fierce duel with "super heavy" shore batteries.

Nichols, Nielson and Grace Park airdromes in Manila's outskirts were among the Sunday targets.

The six plane enemy interception at Clark, while small, marked the first time since Jan. 1 that the Nipponese have put up more than one interceptor there. Lightening fighters bagged the two.

The Americans started flames among buildings at Camp Stotsenberg which adjoins Clark Field. Many buildings were set afire in the new Luzon raids.

The planes spread damage and

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CAROL'S AGENTS SENT TO PRISON

Three Detroit Romanians Accused Of Plot To Get King Into U. S.

Detroit, Jan. 8 (P)—Prison sentences and fines were imposed in federal court here today on three Romanians accused of failure to register as agents of former King Carol of Romania in a movement seeking to bring him into the United States and ultimately restore him to the throne.

The three were the Rev. Cligheari Moraru of SS. Peter and Paul Roman Catholic church, Detroit, sentenced to five years and fined \$3,000; the Rev. Stephan Opreanu, dean of St. George Romanian Orthodox cathedral, Detroit, four years and \$2,000 fine; and George Zamfir, publisher of "The Voice of Romania" two years and \$500 fine.

The three indicted in 1942, had pleaded nolo contendere (no defense) and last week had been refused permission to withdraw the plea. Moraru is a naturalized Canadian citizen; Opreanu a Romanian national and Zamfir a naturalized American citizen.

Judge Edward J. Molnet, up-bidding the three from the bench, said:

"You men must have been very ambitious to endeavor to help an unfrocked king to get into this country through you and to establish himself on the throne again through you."

Ex-King Carol was in Mexico at the time of the indictments, returned under the espionage act. He is at present in Brazil awaiting transportation to Portugal for eventual return to Romania. En route from Mexico to South America his ship stopped at New Orleans but the former king was not permitted to come ashore.

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Tokyo Loses 1,000 Planes In December

(By The Associated Press)

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BIG VON RUNDSTEDT OFFENSIVE THROWN INTO REVERSE

BY AUSTIN BEALMEAR

Paris, Jan. 8 (P)—The Germans were retiring tonight from the dearly-won tip of their Belgian positions—possibly all the way back to St. Vith, four miles from the Reich border—under tempestuous blows from four Allied armies that knocked out 15 miles of one main escape route and seared the second with artillery fire.

With the waist of his Belgian bulge narrowed to 10 miles, Field Marshal Karl von Rundstedt was confronted with a new menace about 10 miles farther east where the U. S. Third armored division drove south to within five and a half miles of his last good highway.

Wingen Recaptured
A second German offensive in northeast France likewise was thrown into reverse as the U. S. Seventh army seized the initiative and blunted a number of German salients that reduced the threat to the French city of Strasbourg on the Rhine.

American counter-attacks wrested back part of the German bridgehead on the Rhine eight miles north of Strasbourg, the French stemmed the enemy push 16 miles south of the city, and to the west in the Vosges doughboys had recaptured Wingen, where the Nazi push had driven 15 miles into France.

(A Berlin broadcast declared the French front had been "cracked wide open" by a new bridgehead south of Strasbourg from which German forces overran six Rhine valley towns, including Kraft, only ten miles south of the city. The report was without Allied confirmation.)

Advance In Blizzards
More than 700 U. S. heavy bombers joined the battle in the Ardennes, plastering road and rail junctions inside the Belgian bulge and the same sort of targets far back into the Reich.

The First airborne army was committed to the battle of Belgium and Luxembourg with the arrival of the British Sixth airborne division. The U. S. 82nd and 101st airborne divisions already were in action.

The U. S. First army plowing a mile or so through deep snow in the worst blizzard of the winter, overran five towns on the north, the British Second army gained more than a mile on the west, and the U. S. Third on the south in two-mile advances eight miles west of Bastogne severed von Rundstedt's main southern lateral highway.

Associated Press Correspondent Wes Gallagher said the Germans were withdrawing from the whole tip of the Belgian bulge and were believed throwing up strong defenses around St. Vith, four miles inside Belgium and 36 miles to the rear of the enemy's most westerly penetration.

The 82nd airborne division

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Today's News Highlights

CASUALTY LIST — R. J. Kezetti of Escanaba missing in action in Belgium since Dec. 17; Pvt. Ardivan N. Rushford, Rapid River, is German prisoner of war. Pages 10 and 2.

ICE HARVEST — S. M. Johnson begins work on Bay de Noc. Page 3.

WAC EXPERIENCES — Pfc. Alfred Knutsen, 24, Escanaba, describes fighting in South Pacific. Page 5.

GOING TO PONTIAC — City Manager George E. Bean resigns Escanaba position. Page 3.

TEACHERS — Two Gladstone teachers resign in mid-year; Ne-gaunee man to be new music supervisor. Page 7.

SALVAGE — Manistiquia's Lincoln school pupils to conduct fat school drive on January 1. Page 7.

REVIEW OF JOB ROLLS SOUGHT

Employers Asked To Report Men Available For Induction

The Delta county draft board yesterday requested employers to review time records and to request withdrawal of occupational deferments for any individual under 28, other than those in 4-F classification, where attendance records indicate that the man is not regularly engaged in his present occupation because he voluntarily refuses to attend to his duties on a regular basis.

The board also requested employers to notify the board of any new under 38 that they have not employed and whose jobs are not important enough to warrant an occupational classification and who are physically qualified for service in the armed forces.

These requests are made because of the increased demand for men for military service in accordance with directives received from state headquarters of the selective service organization.

Special emphasis also is made upon the fact that employers must file an occupational deferment request form for any men who are eligible for induction and whose services are required for maintenance of production. This request may be filed on Forms 42-A, 42-B, 42-C, or 42-D, copies of which may be obtained at the draft board office.



PRISONER OF WAR—Pvt. Ardivan N. Rushford, 30, who was reported missing in action in Italy on October 22, is a prisoner of war of the Germans, his mother, Mrs. Ida Rushford, of Rapid River, was notified in a message received from the International Red Cross on January 4.

The message reporting her son missing in action was received by Mrs. Rushford on November 16.

Pvt. Rushford, who is a brother of Mrs. Loretta Boissonault of this city, entered the service on May 15, 1942, and took his basic training at Camp Shelby. He was employed in Detroit before going into the Army. He has been in foreign service for one year.

Council Forms Youth Center Committee

The student council of the Escanaba senior high school will discuss the problem of a youth center or this city at its meeting Monday. The council has appointed a committee which is at work on a questionnaire to be sent to all students to determine opinion on the question.

Members of the youth center committee are Don Wickholm, chairman, Mary Margaret Welch, rma Bartley and Marilyn Groos. The questionnaire will be brought to the council meeting Monday for approval before it is distributed to students in their English classes.

Juvenile Burglary Gang In Muskegon Admits 11 Robberies

Muskegon, Jan. 8 (P)—Seven members of a juvenile burglary gang were arrested and confessed to a total of 11 burglaries and hefts, police disclosed tonight.

The gang raided gasoline stations and business establishments in western Michigan. Officers said the boys sold gasoline coupons worth five gallons of gasoline or \$1 each.

Part of the loot, which consisted of beer, wine, tires, and other merchandise, was recovered from hiding place at Wolf Lake.

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STATE BUDGET IS COMPLETED

Total Of \$143,385,551 Asked For First Year Of Next Biennium

Lansing, Jan. 8 (P)—Governor Kelly and the state budget office today completed for submission to the legislature a tentative state budget calling for expenditure of \$143,385,551 the first year of the next biennium, and \$146,822,661 the second year for governmental administrative and operating costs.

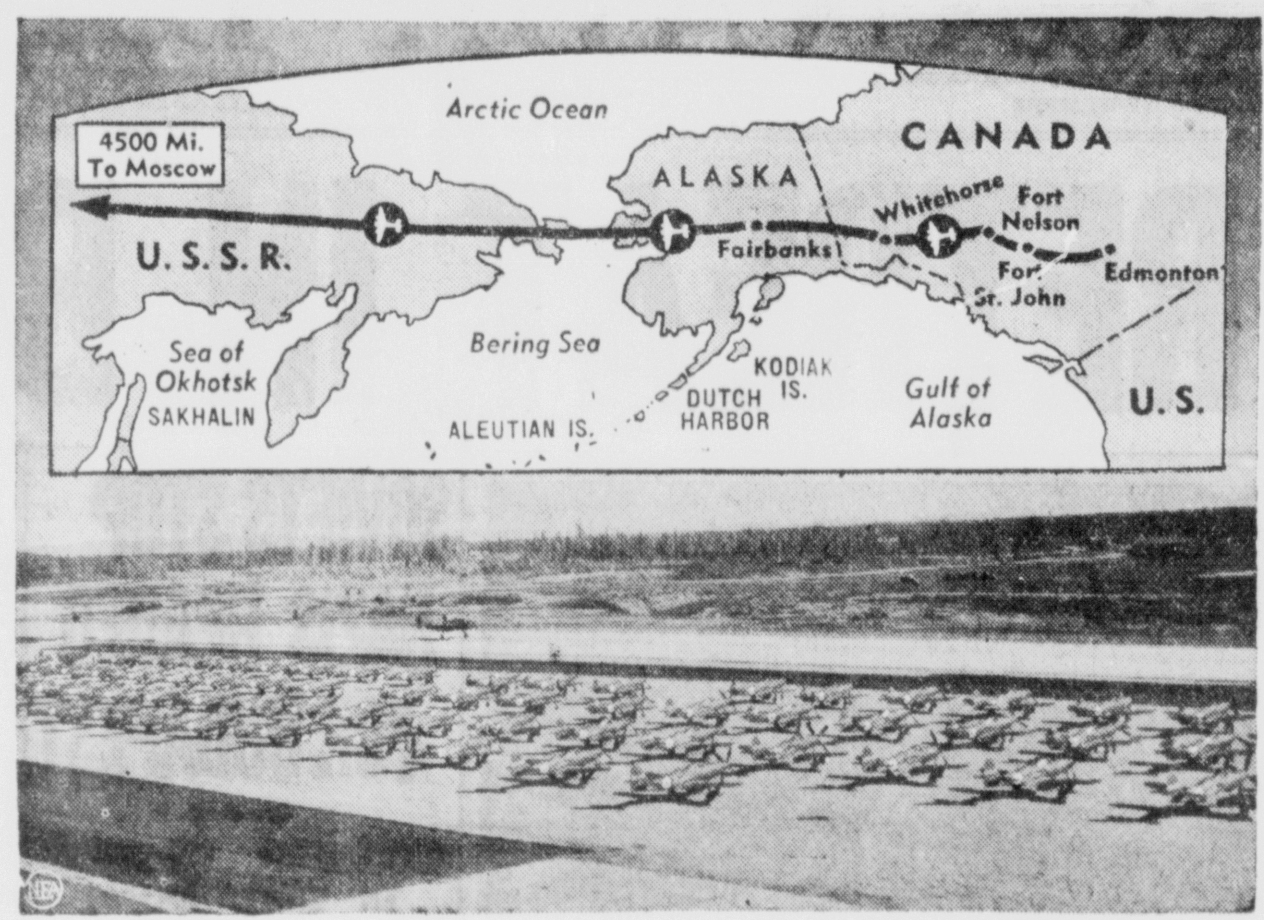
The current year's budget for the same purposes totals \$135,279,919.

Kelly emphasized the figures were provisional, since they made no allowance for increase in state school aid, or for increases in appropriations to the University of Michigan and Michigan State College, or for certain other expected increases.

No capital outlay for building construction was included in the figures, Kelly explaining that bills for a \$90,000,000 postwar state building program and some current construction would be submitted through the state planning commission and the state building division as special programs.

A \$5,000,000 increase in the public assistance programs is proposed in the budget, to enable average increases of about \$5 a month per case in the old age assistance and aid to the blind programs, and of \$10 per family in aid to dependent children.

Appropriations of \$281,990 and \$291,990 in each of the next two years for the Northern Michigan College of Education are proposed.



CANADA - RUSSIA AIR HIGHWAY hums with U. S. planes—American fighter planes pack the strip at Ladd Field, Fairbanks, Alaska, waiting to be ferried to Siberia, thence to the Russia fighting front by Red Army pilots. Inset map shows the Northwest Staging Route, a chain of airports from Edmonton, Alberta, to Fairbanks. Over this vital aerial highway more than 5000 U. S.-built planes have been ferried to Russia. The first ones passed through in September, 1942, immediately saw action against the Germans at Stalingrad. Canada pioneered and built the route and the U. S. provided installations and extensions for which the Dominion will pay this country more than \$39,000,000 (NEA Photo.)

HARRIS PIONEER RESIDENT DEAD

Mrs. Bridget Kane, 89, Is Stricken After Week's Illness

Mrs. Bridget Kane, 89, resident of Harris for 65 years, died at 5:30 p. m. Monday at the home of her son, John Kane, after an illness of one week. She was born May 26, 1855, in County Donegal, Ireland, and came to the United States in 1880. Except for three years at LaBranch, she had made her home continuously at Harris, where Mr. Kane died in 1925. She was a devout member of St. George's church at Bark River and was affiliated with St. George's guild.

Surviving are two sons and four daughters; John of Harris, Michael of Powers, Mrs. David Flynn sr. and Mrs. Maurice Flynn sr. of Harris, Mrs. Thomas Fenlon of Pontiac and Mrs. Lawrence Fenlon of Bark River. There are 20 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

The body was taken to the Boyle funeral parlors at Bark River.

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pushed the last German from an important ridge northwest of Salmchateau, two and a half miles east of the Third division in Joubiaval.

Panzer Forces Saved

Farther west the second armored division fought into Dochamps and four miles west the 84th division captured Marcouray, only two miles north of Laroche and 13 miles north of advanced Third army positions.

On the west end of the bulge, the British Second army suddenly lost contact with three crack armored divisions whose pressure had forced it out of the village of Bure for a second time.

Along the front northeast of Bure, the British scored gains of more than a mile. Gallagher said von Rundstedt was pulling out his prize panzer forces and sacrificing infantry so that his armor can be used for possible new blows elsewhere.

A front dispatch said the Third army bit another section out of the last east-west highway available to the enemy by capturing Orreux, midway between Bastogne and St. Hubert to the west, in a two-mile advance.

Reinforcements Slaughtered

This stab, which also captured Flamierge, nearly six miles northwest of Bastogne, was east of where the road previously was cut by Lt. Gen. George S. Patton's troops.

In northern Luxembourg, the 26th infantry division drove a half mile north to the south bank of the Wiltz River opposite the town of Wiltz, 10 miles east of Bastogne. A regiment of German reinforcements caught streaming into this area was slaughtered.

In northeastern France, the U. S. Seventh army rolling back the 15-mile deep German salient as much as two miles drove the Germans from Wingen and Lichtenberg five miles east, lifting the threat to the vital Sarreguemines-Haguenau highway supplying the Americans along the Rhine.

To the east, the Americans recaptured two villages in the enemy's bridgehead eight miles north of Strasbourg, fought into Gumbelheim, and rewon a part of Drusenheim, 13 miles north of Strasbourg.

FAT SALVAGE SAGGING

A recent survey made for the American Fat Salvage Committee shows an alarming decrease in fat salvage, because of improved war conditions and housewives' mistaken conclusion that waste fat is no longer needed. The committee stresses that practically every item produced in any factory uses fat in its manufacture or its operation, that kitchen fat will be greatly needed during the coming period of reconversion, when the country changes from a war to a peace economy.

Manila, is "estimated to be approximately one division strong," or about 15,000 men.

The broadcast, filled with considerable bombast on the readiness of Japanese forces on Luzon, was beamed to the United States for American consumption.

The report by the Japanese Domei news agency claimed without explanation that the defenders already have dealt a "staggering blow" to forces engaged in "an attempted landing."

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Briefly Told

Orpheus Meeting Tonight—The Orpheus Choral club will meet at 7 o'clock this evening in the backstage music room of the junior high school. Attendance of every member is urged.

Game Room Open—The Salvation Army game room again is open to the public after being closed for minor repairs. It was announced yesterday by Capt. Milton Anderson.

Figure Skating Club—A meeting of the Escanaba Figure Skating club will be held at the indoor rink 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening. Anyone who wishes to join the club may apply for membership at the meeting.

Bark River Lions—A meeting of the Bark River Lions club will be held tonight at 6:45 o'clock at the Hotel Perket, Bark River. Servicemen home on leave are invited to attend.

Examinations—Semester exams will be given on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, January 17, 18 and 19, at the Escanaba senior high school. Principal Edward Edick announced yesterday.

PTA Council—The Escanaba Parent-Teacher Council will hold a meeting this afternoon beginning at 4 o'clock at the Junior high school.

ORE DRILLING NEAR NORWAY

Summit Lake Company Is Doing Exploratory Work

Norway, Mich. — Exploratory operations being carried on north of the city by the Summit Lake Iron company, a subsidiary of the Pickands, Mather company, will be extended next week when three new test holes will be sunk, it was announced by H. J. Richards, of Vulcan, superintendent of the Pickands, Mather holdings in the Norway-Vulcan area. The Summit company, exploring for new veins of ore, already has sunk three test holes.

State-owned land, in the Pine Creek district, four miles northwest of the city, has been leased by the Summit company for the work. Two of the test holes were sunk near the creek.

Drilling of the test holes is being done by a crew employed by the Longyear company, of Minneapolis.

"We have not, as yet, found any new ore formations," Richards said. "Operations have been limited to surface drilling. Whether we will have to drill 500 or 5,000 feet to find ore depends on the rock formations. We expect, however, to find ore."

Plaintiff Obtains \$612 Judgment On Directed Verdict

The Northwoods Manufacturing company yesterday obtained a \$612.36 judgment in its garnishment action against Frank LaLonde on a directed verdict to the jury by Judge Frank A. Bell.

Composing the jury were Astrid Olson, Leslie T. Birk, Mrs. Pearl Jacobson, June M. Clark, James G. Degnan, Mrs. Anna Taylor, Fred Doquette, John Pelozo, Helen Farley, Mrs. Ruth Short, William J. Goodreau and Anna Novack.

Scheduled for trial today is the case of Albert Nelson, Bernard Heikkala and John Norkooli of Rock, in which three have appealed from a justice court sentence for a game law violation.

Clipper Crashes At Trinidad Port

Miami, Fla., Jan. 9 (P)—Pan American's Leopoldville clipper, which left here at 6 a. m. yesterday was reported to have crashed last night at Port of Spain, Trinidad, by Jack Clarke, Pan American public relations man.

Clarke said 14 or 17 passengers were believed to be aboard at the time of the crash, which he gave as about 9:15 p. m., Eastern war time.

No more details were available immediately.

In New York, Pan-American announced that a four-engined Martin clipper had crashed on arrival at Port-of-Spain, Trinidad.

The airlines said the plane carried 14 passengers and a crew of 13.

Blaney Park Will Entertain Writers

The Blaney Park resort will again entertain the newspaper and magazine outdoors writers of Michigan and Illinois on Feb. 2 to 4.

Arrangements for the conference program are being made by C. A. Paquin, educational director of the Michigan conservation department and Bob Becker, outdoors editor of the Chicago Tribune. Local arrangements are in charge of L. L. Hollandsworth, general manager of the Blaney Park resort.

WAR WRITER INJURED

New York, Jan. 8 (P)—Frank Conniff, International News Service war correspondent with the U. S. forces in Belgium, has been injured in a jeep accident at the front, INS said tonight.

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ICE STORAGE WORK BEGINS

Crew Of 35 To 40 Men To
Be Utilized; Heavier
Cut Planned

The cutting of ice for storage will begin in the Escanaba yacht basin this morning by a crew of workmen under the direction of S. M. Johnson, who reported that the ice is now 15 inches in thickness and of excellent quality.

Only a thin blanket of loose snow covered the ice and this was swept away yesterday. Between 35 and 40 men will be employed on the ice cutting program until the end of February, if that many men can be secured, Johnson said.

Some ice has been cut from the bay in an area south of the yacht basin, but only to fill current requirements and not for storage purposes, Johnson said.

The supply of ice cut from the bay last winter was exhausted at the end of October and from that time until Christmas local ice requirements were filled with shipments of artificial ice from Green Bay, Johnson said. This was the first time in 20 years that artificial ice had been shipped in to Escanaba, he added.

The Escanaba ice dealer declared that the ice cut last winter would have been sufficient to meet the local requirements, except for the fact that a half dozen carloads were shipped to Green Bay last summer when the summer demand there reached unprecedented proportions.

The amount of ice to be cut and stored this year will be somewhat in excess of the quantity stored last winter, Johnson reported.

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City Manager Resigns To Accept Pontiac Position

Escanaba City Manager George E. Bean yesterday in an official letter of resignation advised the city council that he is resigning January 15 to accept a similar position for the city of Pontiac. He will leave here Sunday.

The job at Pontiac had been offered Bean several weeks ago, but he had delayed making a final decision until he conferred with the Pontiac commission, and returned here to officially advise the Escanaba council of his resignation. Bean will start at a salary of \$8,000.

In his letter to the Escanaba councilmen, Bean wrote:

"Allow me to express my appreciation to you for your cooperation in eight years of constructive and pleasant work."

Bean came to Escanaba from Milwaukee in 1936, where he had been employed in the city engineer's office.

Yesterday noon at the Escanaba Rotary club, of which he is a member, Bean was praised by Fred Earle for his "administrative and engineering ability in his work for the city of Escanaba, and for his helpfulness in the Rotary club." Speaking for the club, Earle said:

"We are all more sorry than I can say to see him leave. We wish him success, knowing that it is a step upward in his profession."

Earle pointed out that Bean as Escanaba city manager has been considerate of the city's business interests, has given courteous and sympathetic assistance.

Speaking in reply, and as a farewell to the Rotary club members, Bean pointed out that he believed "this community is not prepared to move as fast I myself am ready to move ahead toward an effective postwar program." Pontiac is ready for such a program, he added.

"This may be putting it bluntly, but there are some in our community who do not understand what a full program means. They do not understand that social and industrial problems cannot be met by niggardly treatment," he said.

He warned that citizens must build into their local government the ideals they want. Only with a full program and active participation of the people can local government meet its problems and avoid permitting control going to state and federal governments, he said.

"That is the philosophy of my work. At the present time this community has not accepted such a program. It is not yet ready in its own mind," he said.

Bean expressed appreciation for the cooperation he has received as city manager in Escanaba from service organizations, industry, labor and others.

Color Caused by Organism
The red color of the water in the famous "fountain of blood" of the Honduras is caused by a microscopic organism that, after death not only colors the water, but causes it to coagulate like blood.

There are seventeen varieties of pigeons and doves in the U. S.



GEORGE E. BEAN

Trenary

Trenary—Miss Zoe Bennett who is attending the University of Minnesota at Minneapolis spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bennett at Nahma Junction and with her sisters, Mero and Mrs. Ilmar Hytinen here.

Misses Helvi and Martha Seppa who have been employed at Detroit, spent Christmas at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Seppa. Miss Helvi remained at her home while her brother Oliver returned with his sister Martha to Detroit where he will be employed until spring.

Gene Case of the U. S. Army, who is attending school at Ann Arbor is spending a furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Finlan.

Arthur Webber and Violet Stevens, who are employed in Detroit, spent the holidays at the homes of Mrs. Ella Stevens and Mrs. Anna Gregg.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Luukkonen of L'Anse, spent the holidays at the home of Mrs. Luukkonen's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Al Pasanen.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester LaComb who are employed in Detroit, spent the holidays at the Anna Gregg home with their two children, and with relatives at Munising.

Bennett Thornton of Manistique, spent the holidays here at the Bennett home.

Mr. and Mrs. Armour Saari and son of Wayne, Mich., spent Christmas here at the homes of relatives.

Mrs. Mike Vizer, Lucille Finlan and Molly Oberstar motored to Munising last Friday evening.

Mrs. Hugo Marlin is now employed as a clerk in the Trenary Farmer's Co-Op. She takes the place of Molly Oberstar who quit her job there to be employed at Lansing.

Miss Jennie Saari of Wayne, Mich., spent the holidays here at the home of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Jalmar Pukkila and family, spent the holidays with relatives in Negaunee.

Mrs. Mella Kaukkonen of National Mine, spent the past few days visiting at the homes of Mrs. Hanah Hytinen and Mr. and Mrs. John Savola.

Leslie Savola, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Savola passed his examinations and was inducted into the Navy on Dec. 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Maynard of Marquette called on friends here Saturday.

Miss Martha Ranklin, who spent the Christmas holidays at her home in Laurium, has resumed her duties as kindergarten and first grade teacher in the Trenary school.

Miss Martha Campbell has returned to her duties as a teacher in the high school, after spending the last two weeks in Detroit and Pontiac.

Mrs. Josie Viton spent the

Appraisal Expert Explains Work At Kiwanis Meeting

E. T. Wilkins, appraisal engineer of the J. M. Slemishaw company of Cleveland, outlined in a talk at the meeting of the Kiwanis club yesterday the procedure to be followed in reevaluating real estate in Escanaba for tax purposes.

The speaker was introduced by City Engineer A. V. Aronson, who said that Wilkins is a graduate mechanical engineer and has been employed with the Slemishaw company for 15 years.

Wilkins said that the Slemishaw company was organized in 1923, has 300 employees, and specializes in the reappraisal of communities for tax purposes.

"The reappraisal project should not scare the people of this city, for the primary purpose is to equalize the load between taxpayers," Wilkins said. "If valuations are where they should be there should be no worry on anyone's part."

Wilkins explained that the reappraisal work is open to the public, and he invited citizens to discuss the matter with him at any time. He added that many states have laws requiring periodic reappraisals of real estate for tax equalization purposes. Incidentally, Michigan has no such law, and as a result communities of state have "all kinds of appraisals." Wilkins recently completed a county-wide revaluation in Ohio.

holidays in Detroit at the home of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Hamley.

Mrs. Ruth Holmquist and son Howard have returned to their home here after spending the last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kent Ellis at Lafayette, Ind.

Mrs. Albert Cauchon and daughter Gay have returned to their home here after spending the holidays in Lower Michigan with relatives.



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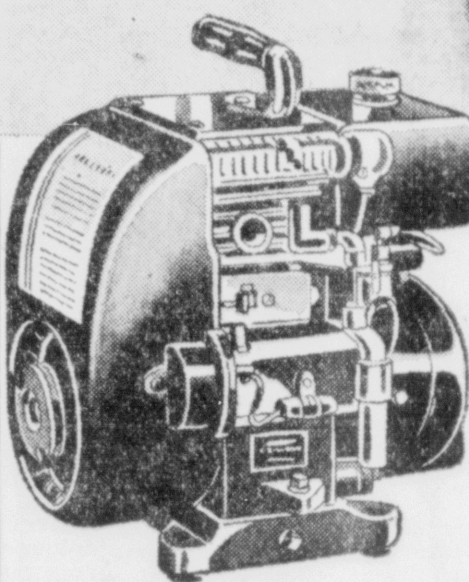
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Must Sacrifice

BOTH pronouncements by national selective service authorities and the words of President Roosevelt, broadcast to the nation on Saturday night, leave little doubt that the most critical emergency of America's participation in World War II, is at hand. Under directives of selective service officials and President Roosevelt's own interpretation of the nation's war man-power needs, local draft boards are given little latitude in scraping the bottom of the manpower barrel in each community, to supply the need of the immediate future.

In the drastic actions that must follow, in the operation of each county draft board, there will be little public sympathy for the individuals who left war plant jobs, to achieve personal advantages in the postwar period, but the application of these rigid rules to agricultural workers, is bound to bring additional hardships to the industry that must be depended upon to supply food for the world.

In the very nature of things there has been some abuse of agricultural deferments. For instance a Delta county boy, granted an agricultural deferment on the plea of his father, found time to murder an Escanaba man and has been sentenced to prison for his act. Such cases are rare but they discredit the honest effort of thousands of boys of military age, whose work on the farms has made possible the production and harvesting of bumper crops in the midst of war.

The present emergency and the tragic need for greater manpower both on the field of battle and in the war plants, must result in greater handicaps that have been experienced before, both in industry and on the farms.

Patriotic citizens of America will accept the new sacrifices, no matter what may be the cost.

Draft Law Changes

WHETHER congress goes along with the President on the national labor draft issue or not, it is obvious that the administration plans to use the authority of the selective service law to keep men in war jobs, including 4-F's. This will be accomplished by the establishment of special draft calls that will permit the induction into military service of men not physically qualified for combat duty. Men drafted under these "special calls" will be used in labor battalions and in other duties that their physical condition will permit.

In establishing this new regulation, emphasis is made upon the fact that local boards are supposed to fill these "special calls" only with men who have left employment for which they have received occupational deferments. Actually, the number of men who will be inducted under this procedure will be relatively small if the program works out in the manner in which government officials believe that it will.

The whole idea of the thing, of course, is to freeze draft age men, including 4-F's, in war jobs and not to fill any immediate need for military labor battalions. In effect, the selective service organization tells draft-age war workers to stay on their jobs or else be inducted into military labor battalions and the theory is that these men will decide to remain on their war jobs.

This, then, takes care of the men already engaged in war production or in essential civilian activity. But what about the program to get more men into war factories to meet the expanding need for war supplies? President Roosevelt proposes to accomplish this by establishing a national or labor draft, with particular emphasis upon greater control of men rejected for military service who are not making a substantial contribution to the war effort.

This is the program that obviously should have been adopted at the outset of the war, instead of the hodge-podge patching of the selective service act in an effort to accomplish the same objective.

Dr. Ray E. Cheney

NEWS of the death of Dr. Ray E. Cheney, former superintendent of the Escanaba public schools, came as a shock to his many friends and fellow educators in Escanaba and throughout the Upper Peninsula.

Dr. Cheney is remembered in Michigan for the long, successful fight he made to obtain legislation providing state aid to the poorer school districts of this state. In fact, he personally did much of the statistical work in developing a formula for the distribution of supplementary monies to communities, unable to support themselves adequately by local taxes because of low property valuations.

The new junior high school and auditorium were built, and many other improvements in the program were made while Dr. Cheney served as head of the Escanaba public schools. His ability as a school administrator was widely recog-

nized, and as a result he received offers from larger systems. From Escanaba, he went to River Forest, Ill., and later to Elizabeth, N. J., a city of more than 125,000 population.

Dr. Cheney's death at 54 years of age brought to an untimely end a successful career that promised to take him to even higher positions in his professional field.

Not Exactly Necessary

THE National Automobile Dealers association is one of the first organizations to cooperate with War Mobilization Director Byrnes in his appeal to relieve traffic congestion by cancelling its annual convention this year.

Although the nation has been at war for three years, we Americans have gone along enjoying ourselves at home with few deprivations. Trains, buses, theaters, night clubs and other places of amusement have been crowded. There is no denying that much purely recreational travel has continued despite the heavy strain on America's transportation facilities, indispensable for the movement of troops and materials needed for winning this war.

Now that we have enjoyed three years of wartime gallivanting we can find ways of doing less of it until victory is won. Americans are the champion convention goers, but their favorite diversion may well be curbed in wartime. After all, many folks go to a convention more for pleasure than for business reasons, and wouldn't know what happened at the sessions unless they later received a mimeographed or printed report of the proceedings from the association's secretary. Doubtless, the American convention goer will be able to keep abreast with the changes in his business, professional or fraternal field by staying at home and reading the daily, weekly or monthly bulletins.

But let's have bigger and better conventions after this war is over.

A Silly Attitude

UNION employees of the American Box Board company at Grand Rapids went on strike last week because they did not want to work alongside about thirty German prisoners of war.

As a result, valuable time was lost in the operations of a plant, which is turning out containers greatly needed for the shipping of war materials. It is only false patriotism that would actuate American workers to quit work for such a reason.

When the Germans prisoners of war consent to work in an industry they are actually helping our war effort and hastening the defeat of their fatherland. American workers should be willing to do as much.

Other Editorial Comments

PLAUDITS! "78th DIVISION" ON HOME FRONT

(Jackson Citizen Patriot)
The 78th Congress passes into history with a record of which its membership and the American people properly may be proud. It was a patriotic, able, foresighted war Congress. It made mistakes, because its membership was human. All in all, the American people have a right to be proud of their supreme legislative body. It is much criticized, often unjustly; but its record reveals intelligent, patriotic and courageous accomplishment.

Can't you just imagine how hard the heavy snowfall hit the kids in towns where schools were forced to close?

At last the old race track expression "You can't lose" holds some weight. No racing!

Take My Word For it . . . Frank Colby

ADDRESS
Today's word is rather controversial. My mail indicates that Americans are divided into two camps over the pronunciation of address, the noun, when used to mean "the directions of letters; one's house number and street."

The first group trumpets: "Only an illiterate would say 'AD-dress'!" The second replies, "Pooh! Since most Americans say 'AD-dress,' why isn't it correct? Doesn't the majority always rule?"

Well, here is the box score of seven reputable American dictionaries: Only choice of four, and first choice of three: uh-DRESS. Second choice of three: AD-DRESS.

Note carefully, however, that no dictionary sanctions "AD-dress" for the noun meaning "a written or spoken communication," as, an address of welcome. And the verb should never be accented on the first syllable.

Q. Is there a word that designates a person who murders a close relative?

A. The suffix -icide means "killer." One who murders a close relation, or his ruler, is a parricide. On ewho murders anyone at all is a homicide (HOMM-i-side).

One who kills his mother is a matricide (MAY-tri-side). One who kills his father is a patricide (either PAY-tri-side or PAT-tri-side).

He who kills his brother is a fratricide (FRAT-tri-side). If he kills his sister he is a sororicide (soe-ROR-i-side). The killer of an infant is an infanticide (in-FAN-tri-side).

Loony Logic spotted in the advertisement of a new magazine, which includes among its features: "An expose of the threat to your dollar by Henry J. Taylor."

If such verbs as sing-sang-sung, drink-drunk-drunk, take-took-taken, seen-saw confuse you, send for my easy to understand pamphlet, THE IRREGULAR VERBS. Send a stamped (3c), self-addressed envelope to Frank Colby, in care of this paper.

World Events Analyzed

BY MARQUIS CHILDS

Washington—The full consequences of the German offensive are being withheld from the American public by something like a news blackout.

This may be necessary to keep vital information from the enemy. Only the top military commanders are competent to judge that. Nevertheless, the fact that news and casualty lists are being withheld creates an unnatural vacuum here so far from the battle.

The war department fosters the illusion that nothing has been altered by the German offensive. That may be one reason why scare rumors have begun to gain currency.

Members of Congress have heard that a large number of men are being transferred out of the air forces and into the infantry. According to war department spokesmen, these men are being transferred under a program decided on before the German offensive began, and the program is moving ahead as planned.

Two days before the start of the Nazi offensive, the war department announced that 55,000 men would be transferred from the AAF and 25,000 from special service units. The air forces had sustained much lighter losses than had been calculated, particularly among ground crews, and in the face of the acute need for young men fit for combat the transfer program was ordered.

—FLOOD OF LETTERS—

One result has been a flood of letters to members of Congress. Parents are writing in from all over the country to protest that their sons are being shunted from the AAF into the walking army. It is like the protest that came when the army specialist training program in American colleges was abruptly terminated because younger men were needed to reduce the average age of combat divisions.

Such decisions try the souls of the commanders who must make them. They know as well as anyone else the heartaches they cause.

Under the transfer program as it was first worked out, air force trainees fit for combat duty were sent into the infantry, and replaced by those unfit for front line duty. While at training bases this resulted in some curtailments, it has not interfered with the basic training of the desired number of pilots.

One result of the news blackout, which has been bitterly protested by correspondents in Paris, is to make it seem that here at home we were still primarily concerned with dickering over rationing and the minor details of living. That is not, in my opinion, true. I believe that most Americans, having recovered from the false optimism which was shared by high and low last fall, are now concentrated on the ordeal in which we are engaged.

—SOME RESENT DISCOMFORTS—
But in the absence of the news that would bring home the full gravity and importance of what has happened, the minor discomforts and inconveniences seem to loom large. In one news story of the reaction to cancellation of ration stamps, I read that a woman cried when she could not get a roast for which she had been saving red points.

Charitably, I suppose, this must be put down to war tension. There is, of course, a small minority determined not to let the war make any difference whatsoever in their way of living. They resent the sacrifice of so much as a gallon of gasoline or a pound of butter. It is this minority that has created the black markets.

For the second week the war department has omitted, in its report of losses, the casualties on the western front resulting from the German offensive. Secretary of War Stimson told his news conference that the swirling tides of battle made it difficult or impossible to compile accurate casualty lists.

While we can't go behind the judgment of military commanders on what news is to be released, yet it is a fact that the whole course of the war has shown the American people could take it. They have not required the kind of spoon feeding that too often has been their lot.

Let's have all the news that won't help the enemy. The news vacuum will be filled by rumors and controversies if the facts are kept back.

Gracie Allen Says

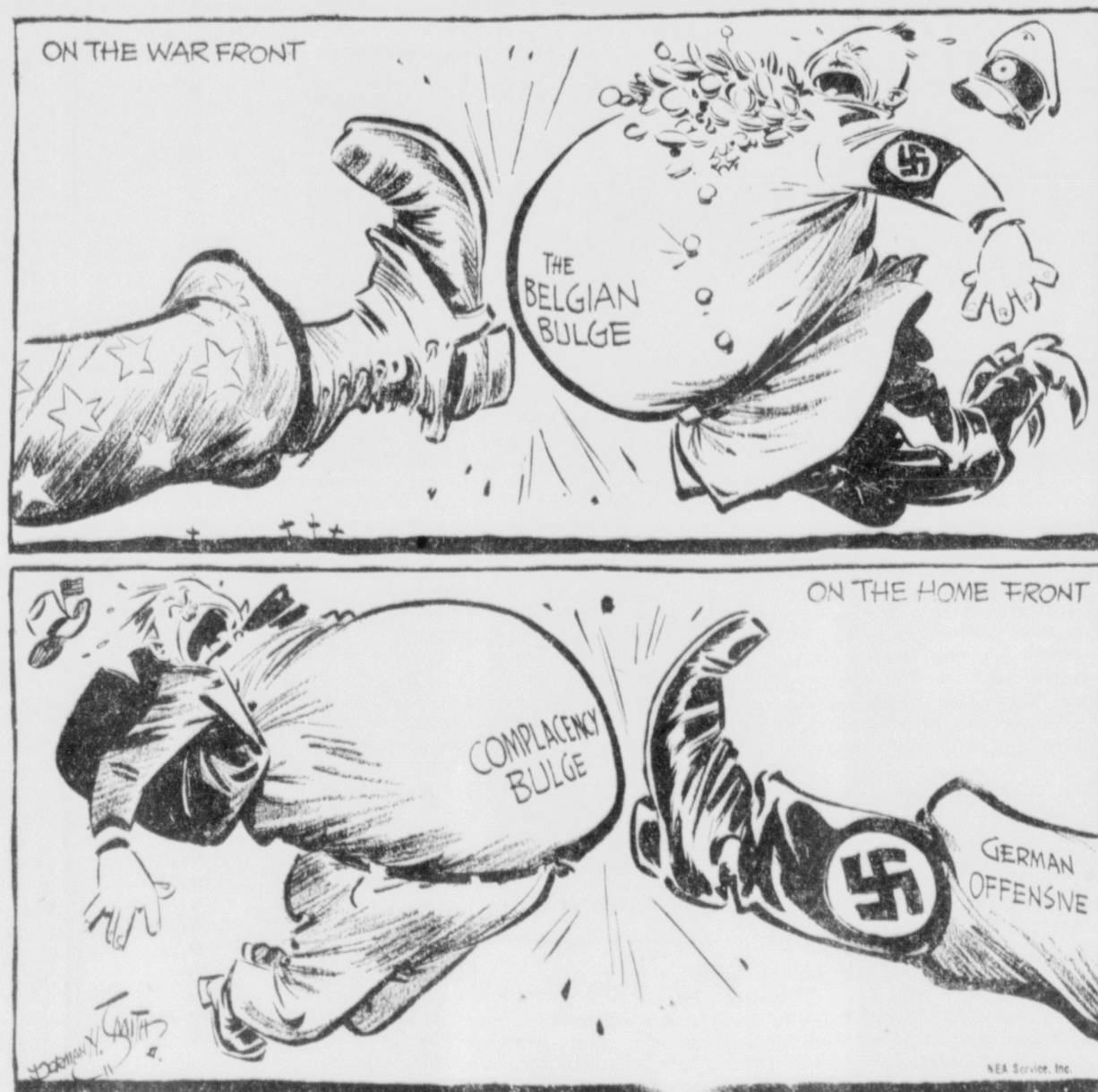
Goodness, now there's talk about a government draft of women to work in certain industries. Uncle Sam is going to substitute the factory whistle for the wolf whistle. The theory is that any woman strong enough to dig a fur coat out of her husband can also plant a few acres of potatoes, and women complaining about nylons may soon get them in a way they don't expect.

According to chemists, Nylons are made mostly out of coal, and these gals may find themselves digging up their stockings in lump form, other women who are upset about not getting cigarettes may find themselves working on a tobacco plantation. I can imagine a lady in a mink coat and a lorgnette giving the tobacco auctioneer's chant with a Park Avenue accent.

The manpower commission is interested also in getting women to replace men in certain night-club jobs. Can you imagine the men dying of thirst on bar stools all over the country while a couple of lady bartenders discuss recipes?

An advance tip for women: Trees are beautiful, yet they'll be wearing the same old styles come spring.

Perfect Targets



Good Morning!

—By The Bugler

TAKEN TO TASK—Last week this column presented, briefly, the story of Pvt. Walter Lambert of the U. S. Army quartermaster corps, who left Escanaba high school in 1917 or 1918 to enlist in World War I, returned after the war to graduate in 1923, and is now serving in World War II.

So far as the information went, Lambert was supposed to be the only Escanaba high school student who returned to the class room to finish his schooling after serving with the armed forces in the first world war.

That information was incorrect, as John J. Mitchell of Escanaba points out in a letter received the other day. He writes: "Read that part of a recent column concerning enlistees out of High School Classes in World War I, may I correct the statement that Walter Lambert and Bill Henderson were the only ones who left High School to enlist in the Army and Navy in 1917-1918?"

I recollect well when Walter and Bill left. They were both Seniors and the first students to enlist. The school and townspeople made quite a patriotic do about it. The minimum draft age at the time was 20 or 21, not 18 as it is now. Next to enlist and youngest of all, was Warren Horton, son of Mrs. Frances Ellsworth, who left in his Junior year at the age of 15 for the Navy. This was after he had been turned down by the Canadian Army at the Soo.

After the school years closed in June 1918, Wm. McCauley, Lloyd McKittick and I enlisted in the Navy on the same day, Bill out of the Senior class, Lloyd and I out of the Junior class. McCauley was 17, I think, while Lloyd and I had just turned 16. I don't suppose we were deceiving the recruiting officers about our ages, but we had the necessary affidavits, properly signed by our parents. He we managed that I don't remember.

Warren Horton, by the way, enlisted in the Armored Division in Chicago in 1942 and is now with his division in New Guinea. I think Warren and Walter Lambert are the only two High School students who have served in both wars. Horton, McKittick and I were mustered out in April and May 1919, and went back to finish our Senior year, where we promptly earned the sobriquet of "The Three Admirals" by the faculty, who, led by a perfect Murdstone of a principal, seemed to think we had enlisted just to escape from school. This persecution, I am told, actually led to fistfights between an "admiral" and a faculty member.

Out of regard for the patriotic spirit of the Class of 1918-19, I feel that this addition to the former article is not amiss. Perhaps others can add further to the student's muster-roll of World War I.

Regards,
John J. Mitchell.

AMERICANISMS—When Brig. Gen. Anthony C. McAuliffe, 46, one of America's youngest generals, replied "Nuts" to the Nazis demands for the surrender of his forces at Bastogne, he was simply following an American tradition of saying the right thing at the right time.

It has never been claimed, least of all by the British school tie authors, that Americans are particularly elegant in their use of what once was described as the king's English. Rather the Yankees have a way of being forcefully inelegant that it is keeping the English language alive and growing.

Other expressive phrases, although not so forceful as the "Nuts" comment, have come out of this war.

10 Years Ago—1935

Lois and Rita Mae Johnston are confined to their home, 419 South Ninth street, suffering from injuries received Monday when the sled on which they were coasting down a hill at Ludington park struck a tree.

Gladstone—Ernest Brynolf, former manager of the Atlantic and Pacific store here, will establish in business for himself in Gladstone, it was announced yesterday. Brynolf has secured the building at 719 Delta avenue, formerly occupied by the Model Cash Market and renovation of the interior has been started.

20 Years Ago—1925

Two open sessions including the public presentation of \$1,000 in gold to the three counties of the peninsula who established the best scrub bull replacement record; a breakfast and a banquet, will today's dairy booster meeting, to be conducted under the joint auspices of the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau and the Escanaba Chamber of Commerce.

25 Years Ago—1920
Escanaba has one soldier only who came out of the war with the Distinguished Service Cross. He is William Holzgrebe, residing on the state road, who went repeatedly through a section of territory in France known as "Death Valley," bearing important dispatches, and escaped without a scar.

You recall that early in the war, when the defenders of Wake Island were radioed and asked what should be sent to them, they replied: "Send some more Japs."

And their is the classic message from the Atlantic submarine patrol: "Sighted sub, sank same." You will note that all these have one thing in common. They are laconic to the point of understatement. That is the American way—to make it important by cutting out the frills. There will be those who may point to famous phrases by our heroes of the past and say they were not undignified. That is true, yet when Patrick Henry cried "Give me liberty or give me death!" he coined a phrase that resounded throughout the Colonies and became a rallying cry for those who opposed the tyranny of England. The following excerpt from Patrick Henry's speech in 1775 is as applicable today as it was then:

"There is no retreat but in submission and slavery. Our chains are already forged. Is life so dear or peace so sweet as to be purchased at the price of chains and slavery? Forbid it, Almighty God! I know not what course others may take, but as for me, give me liberty or give me death!"

Four years later, in 1779, John Paul Jones told the British, "I have not yet begun to fight!" when a British commander called upon him to surrender.

This famous cry of defiance came after the American ship commanded by Jones encountered and engaged in battle a British ship in one of the most desperate and spectacular of the world's sea fights. An attempt on the part of Jones' crew to board the British vessel was repulsed. Both ships lay with their rigging entangled and both were on fire. The British commander, sensing victory, called on Jones to surrender—and received the now classic answer.

There have been many other defiant answers given enemies of our country by fearless men who placed duty and principle above self. And so we have the following:

"Give me liberty or give me death!"
"I have not yet begun to fight!"
"Send some more Japs."
"Sighted sub, sank same."
"Nuts!"

Frankly, one wonders what historians of the future will do with the last one. Will they be able to understand it as the vital rallying call for 10,000 Yankees who defied German forces ten times their number?

—Clint Dunathan.

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

BY DREW PEARSON

(Lt. Col. R. S. Allen, now in active service)

Washington—When war mobilization director Jimmy Byrnes stepped into the price picture last week with an order extending another four months the premium prices on passenger car tires, he completely disregarded OPA figures which show there is no excuse for these high prices.

Believe it or not, on an ordinary 6.00x16 tire, the motorist will continue to pay an extra \$1.30, despite the fact profits of the tire industry for the first six months of last year, before taxes, were 784 per cent of the average profit for 1936-39. Byrnes, however, yielded to army friends close to the tire industry and ok'd the continued price boost.

The price premium was granted by OPA last April as a temporary measure when tire makers pleaded use of synthetics and new types of cord might mean higher production cost. The increase amounted to 8.9 per cent on regular passenger tires, with a 12½ per cent differential for rayon cord. The tire manufacturers then took their time about preparing a cost study, and it required pressure from industry, army and WPB rubber bureau to stop OPA from rolling back tire prices in October.

A 60-day extension was granted in October, whereupon OPA started its own cost study. It found no justification whatsoever for the maintenance of the premium prices. In 1943, it found the big four of tires—Firestone, Goodyear, Goodrich, and U. S. Rubber—showed a before-tax profit of \$288,105,941 or 799 per cent better than the average of only \$36,057,372 from 1936 to 1939. Their profit for the first six months of 1944 was \$149,262,970, or 828 per cent better than the 1936-39 average.

The entire industry was only slightly less well off. Total industry profits averaged \$42,408,648 in the 1936-39 period, against \$743,159,891 in 1943—743 per cent, and \$166,260,518 for the first six months of last year—784 per cent.

OPA, therefore, prepared to roll-back tire prices last month, whereupon Byrnes stepped in and ordered a four-month extension of premium prices. The extension, he said, was "necessary to aid in effective prosecution of the war."

Significantly, Byrnes' order followed a meeting of tire manufacturers with army supply chief Lt. Gen. Brehon Somervell. The meeting was called to devise means of increasing the output of military tires, but one of the three points agreed upon was price roll-back on civilian tires be postponed for at least 120 days.

It is no secret in the industry that pressure has been exercised on the war department to aid in beating off the OPA price roll-back. For weeks Administrator Chester Bowles and Deputy James F. Brownlee, former distiller, who have been the staunchest inflation fighters in Washington, refused to buckle under. Opposed to Brownlee in Byrnes' office was Maj. Gen. Julius Clay, who until a couple of months ago was Somervell's right hand man.

Note—Keep an eye on General Clay. He is the man who is really running things as far as the Byrnes office and WPB are concerned.

—CONGRESSMAN PATTON CLINGS—

Up until the last stroke of 12 noon, January 3, tenacious "Cousin Nat" Patton of Texas clung to his seat in Congress. He refused to budge a minute sooner. By so doing he kept a lady waiting.

The lady is Mrs. Emily Taft Douglas, newly elected congresswoman-at-large from Illinois. She was unable to unpack even a handbag, let alone take out her files and get settled in her new office until after the stroke of 12 when the new Congress came in.

Reason was that she was supposed to occupy the office of Representative Kunkel of Pennsylvania, who in turn was supposed to move to the office of Congressman D'Alesandro of Maryland who in turn was to move into the office of ex-Congressman Patton of Texas. "Cousin Nat" had one of the best offices on Capitol Hill and those who are senior Congressmen move up to such offices in rank.

Mrs. Douglas down at the bottom of the list had to shuffle her feet in corridors and patiently wait. "Cousin Nat" kept telling colleagues up to the last minute, "I'm still a member of Congress." He certainly hated to leave.

And he did not leave until the day after the new Congress met. Finally, one day late, he let Congressman D'Alesandro move in. When Congressman D'Alesandro opened the door, however, he balked. There was too much tobacco juice splattered on the walls. D'Alesandro is now waiting for the painters to do a paint job before he moves into Patton's office.

Two of the best resolutions for the New Year are to buy more War Bonds and give more blood.

Christmas ice skates now are in use. For the kids they're a lot of fun, yet an awful flop.

Now that race tracks are closed, just think of the money the customers will save and can put into War Bonds!

Dancing is called a pleasure, yet few people do it without a struggle.

Four more points on butter! Everybody stand up and yodel "O-leo!"

The best give and take plan: give blood—take all the War Bonds you can.

MARINE TELLS OF INVASIONS

Pfc. Alfred Knutsen, Jr.,
Related Experiences
In Pacific Area

Pfc. Alfred Knutsen, Jr., of Escanaba, who participated in the invasions of the Marshall Islands and Guam in the Marianas, escaped injury from Japanese bullets and artillery fire but was knocked out of action by an attack of filariasis, a tropical disease that has caused a lot of casualties among American troops in the South Seas.

Knutsen, whose mother and father both died while the young Marine was overseas, is now visiting friends here with his sister, Mrs. Edward Todryk, of Washington, D. C.

Knutsen first went into action against the Japanese in the Marshalls campaign, participating in the attack on the island of Engebi in the Eniwetok atoll. In that campaign, the howitzer battalion of which Knutsen was a member fired 25,000 rounds of 75mm. shells against the Japanese within 72 hours. He described the slaughter of Japanese as "terrific."

The Engebi campaign successfully completed, Knutsen was transferred to Kwajalein for six weeks of garrison duty, after which he was moved to Guadalcanal for two months training in preparation for the Guam invasion.

"We were 53 days at sea en route to Guam, moving off from Saipan, Tinian and Guam several times before we moved to Guam. Our convoy was under aerial attack three times, but only one LCI was knocked out of action."

Jap Snipers Active
The landings by Knutsen's invasion forces at Guam were accomplished with light opposition, mainly because of the battleships and cruisers lying off shore as protection for the landing party. Moving inland, however, the invasion armies ran into plenty of bitter fighting as well as constant danger from numerous snipers who remained behind as the main Japanese forces retreated.

Knutsen reported that one Japanese sniper picked up no less than 14 American soldiers and marines in a single area, before he in turn was killed by a sharp-shooting Marine. Most of the men killed by the sniper were hunting souvenirs along the beach.

In the most determined counter-attack staged by the Japs as they were compressed into a pocket on the Orote peninsula, the Nips charged frantically under the intoxicating influence of sake, Knutsen reported, and they were mowed down in rows by machine gun and automatic rifle fire.

Although there were relatively few instances of hand to hand combat on Guam, the Escanaba Marine declared that one U. S. Marine and a Japanese soldier fought to the death with no weapons other than their hands. The Marine choked the Japanese soldier to death, Knutsen reported.

After five weeks on Guam, Knutsen suffered an attack of filariasis, apparently as a result of an infection that he received in one of the Somos islands. He was removed to Guadalcanal for hospitalization and later was returned to the United States. Upon the expiration of his leave, he will return to Astoria, Oregon for further hospitalization.

Doyle Named Legal Aide To Governor

Meredith H. (Mez) Doyle, a Menominee man who has been going places in Michigan legal circles, has been selected by Governor Harry F. Kelly, as the governor's special legal aide to do the legal work for Kelly's expansive postwar program which is before the present session of the state legislature.

Doyle has been an assistant in charge of the court of claims division of the state attorney general's office since 1941, serving under Attorney General Herbert J. Rushton of Escanaba. Rushton did not seek reelection this year, but Doyle was retained on the staff by John R. Dethmers, the new attorney general, and will take on the special assignment for Governor Kelly under leave of absence from the attorney general's department.

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New Steam Locomotive Will Challenge Diesel

BY JOSEPH D. KELLY
(In Wall Street Journal)

The coal-burning steam locomotive which has powered America's railroads for more than a century is losing ground to a young upstart, the oil-burning diesel engine. In the months ahead, for the first time in history, the railroads will be acquiring new cross-country diesels at a much faster rate than new steam engines. Locomotive makers' order books tell the story; for every main-line steam engine they have agreed to make, they have signed up to produce two diesels. In the field of switching engines, where diesels long have played a major role, the orders are 205 to none.

Railroad operating men cite these reasons for the trend. For switching work it's a question of economy and convenience. These diesels are more flexible, can be started with the flip of a switch (while coal burners must get steam up.)

Coal and Water Problems

For pulling big passenger trains or heavy freights on long hauls there has been a definite swing toward diesels in the West and in some sections of the South. The explanation there is that coal must be shipped to those areas. Water, as necessary as coal to the steam locomotive, isn't always readily at hand in arid portions of the West. The chemical content of water varies, too; sometimes it must be specially treated for most efficient operation.

War conditions seem to have stimulated the trend to diesels. Some eastern roads, which generally still use the steam locomotive, haven't been able to get good, uniform quality coal. Much bituminous (used in more than 99 per cent of railroad operation) is now obtained by strip mining, in which huge power shovels literally scrape the coal up off the earth's surface. The result is that clay, dirt and rock are included with the fuel. Many a locomotive in recent months has broken down in the middle of a run from such foreign matter in the coal.

Diesels can make longer runs without refueling, too. They operate 600 to 800 miles on one load of oil, while some steam locomotives take on coal every hundred miles or so, and must pick up water at least as frequently.

Steam passenger trains make fewer stops. New York Central's best passenger units, with 43-ton coal tenders, refuel once on the New York-to-Chicago run; they scoop up water at intervals along the way. The general freights on the same run, however, will coal twice between New York and Buffalo and three more times the rest of the way to Chicago.

Whether or not the diesel is more economical to operate, is a question that is certain to start a debate whenever the railroad men gather. They seem pretty generally agreed, however, that in the East, when good coal is available and water has pretty much the same characteristics, steam locomotives are cheaper.

Coal Railroads Plan Research
With the swing to diesels so pronounced, however, coal-carrying and coal-mine-owning roads have begun to worry about it. This means a shrinking demand from one of their best customers, for railroads as a whole use one-fifth of all coal produced in the United States. (Reflecting the growth of diesels, railroads in 1942 were second only to home owners in consumption of fuel oil.)

To meet the diesel challenge, the coal carriers have plotted a two-pronged attack.

Early in January they will hold a meeting in New York together with representatives of the coal industry, to plan a research program for making coal into a better fuel. One thought is that anthracite and bituminous might be powdered and mixed together.

Coal-belt railroads have teamed up—to the tune of a million dollars so far—on a joint study to find new types of coal-burning locomotives.

The railroads which are in on the locomotive study are the Baltimore & Ohio, Chesapeake & Ohio, Illinois Central, Louisville & Nashville, New York Central, Norfolk & Western, Pennsylvania Railroad and Reading Co. and the Virginian.

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News From Men In The Service

T/5 James E. Feldhusen, son of Mrs. Joe Temmer of Ford River Road, sends home the following article which is a reprint from the Stars and Stripes.

"Six hundred miles in 21 days—that's the fighting mileage clicked off by cyclometers of Maj. Gen. L. M. Silvester's fighting armor as it spearheaded the Allied drive to the German border. The record advance for any one day was 65 miles. In addition from Aug. 10 when the 7th Armored Division's tanks first rolled ashore in France through Aug. 31st, the 7th liberated about 150 towns with an aggregate population of 350,000. Brightest featers in the 7th's cap are the historic cities of Chartres, Chateau-Thierry, Rheims and Verdun. Major battles were fought at Chartres and Chateau-Thierry. At Melun on the Seine the 7th encountered and overcame that bugaboo of all tactical problems a river—crossing under fire. More than 5,900 prisoners were scooped up during the drive and an unestimated number of Nazi dead marked its path."

The 7th was just given high praise by Gen. Eisenhower for their stand at St. Vith which protected the port of Antwerp the week before Christmas.

T/5 Feldhusen was a machinist in the shops of the Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad in Milwaukee before his induction into the army in Sept. 1943. After six months' training at Camp Blanding Fla., he was chosen one of six out of sixty as radio operator in the Headquarters Company of the 7th and sent to Fort Benning, Ga. They went overseas about D-Day and were in England until August.

An officers' club at a South railroad as the Burlington, Union Pacific, Atchison, Rock Island are leasing more and more toward diesels. In the South, such railroads as Atlantic Coast Line are acquiring them in ever-increasing numbers.

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Pacific air base was the scene of a recent meeting between Lt. Walter Karl Dickson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dickson, 523 Ogden avenue, and Lt. Paul W. Snyder, whose wife lives here at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wickert, 801 South Thirteenth street. Lt. Dickson's wife has returned to Lima, Ohio, following a holiday vacation spent here. Both Lt. Dickson and Lt. Snyder are army air force navigators. The meeting took place just before Christmas.

A/C. Dayton (Bud) Dittrich, who recently completed his basic

flying training at Bainbridge, Ga., has gone to an advanced flying school in Columbus, Miss., following a furlough spent at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Dittrich of Hyde. A/C. Dittrich's brother, Staff Sgt. Harold Dittrich is fighting with the infantry in Germany, according to recent word received by his parents.

Pvt. George Bloom of Escanaba is now serving with the U. S. army somewhere in Belgium, according to a letter received by his wife, the former Capitola Pare, who resides at Gladstone Route. One, Pvt. Bloom entered the army ser-

Barbs Of Humor Now Are Marine Weapon

Somewhere in the Pacific (P)—Marine humor has become an important war weapon, one officer insists. Men climbing a high cliff under fire reached the top smiling because of a sign, "Please use the escalator. Elevator out of order."

vice July 15, 1944 and went overseas in November, after receiving his military training at Camp Croft, S. C. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bloom, Escanaba.

Jungle fighters quipped, "Going to be tough sledding. No snow." Face down in the sand during a tense moment on one hotly-held beach, one Marine called out, "Does anyone have an old cold beer they don't want?"

WILL BE "HAS-BEENO"
The term Mikado is used by foreigners to designate the emperor of Japan, but not by the Japanese themselves. Their word is "Tenno."

There are less than 34,000 whites in the Belgian Congo.

How Americans Can EARN MORE, BUY MORE, HAVE MORE

WHAT kind of life will you have in the post-war period? Will servicemen find jobs? What about demobilized war workers?

These are questions on everyone's mind today, and it is not too early to find answers to them.

Our first and all-important job is to win the war. But the time has come when we must look beyond military victory—to make sure that we will have, in peace, the kind of world for which we are now fighting.

Postwar Prosperity for All

In this undertaking American business—manufacturing, retailing, farming, construction, transportation—will play a major role. For it is primarily to business that the returning serviceman will look for a job, the demobilized war worker come for peacetime employment, and the American public turn for a higher standard of living. It is to American business, too, that the people of other lands will look for the tools and goods with which to rehabilitate their nations and provide for themselves a higher standard of living.

Business plans and is ready to meet its responsibilities.

Its plans are based on common-sense facts—that the key to postwar prosperity is high production, and that the way to keep production at a high level is to be sure that all of us will be able to buy the things our farms and factories can produce.

Only an income based on production can provide, at the same time, the money to buy with and the things to buy.

How This Can Be Brought About

Every wage-earner is both a producer and a consumer—he makes things and he buys things.

If he is paid enough for what he makes, and given good enough bargains in what he buys, the "process of prosperity" can be put in motion and lasting jobs created. They can't be made through government hand-outs—which only increase public debt and raise taxes still further.

Two things are required to put this "process of prosperity" into operation. The first is an honest and aggressive effort by management to fulfill its part of the program. The second is public cooperation—in creating conditions favorable to the full play of this country's limitless energy and ambition.

Business is pledged to do its part—first, by increasing the opportunities for all to earn and, second, by increasing the opportunities for all to buy.

To increase the opportunity for all to earn, business pledges a just and enlightened wage policy, and the opening of every possible avenue of advancement for the worker.

It proposes to proceed at the earliest possible moment with the starting of new ventures and the expansion of old in order to provide more jobs for more people—including returning servicemen and demobilized war workers.

It proposes to put into workers' hands the most efficient tools available—so

that a worker, by increasing his production, may add still further to his earnings.

To increase the opportunities for all to buy, business proposes to make full use of the technological "know how" it has accumulated during the war to put on the market the finest products that can be made, at the lowest prices for which they can be sold.

It proposes to seek, through unending study and research in the fields of production and distribution, every possible means for lowering prices still further over the years, so that more of the good things of life can be enjoyed by more and more of the people.

It proposes to encourage full and free competition to avoid restraint of trade and so assure better and better values.

Your Help Is Needed

This is business's program for the future. To bring it about as quickly as possible will require your help. For its accomplishment will need legislative action—action that you can encourage. Postwar tax politics that leave sufficient funds for expansion. Laws that clearly prevent unregulated monopoly. Labor policies that establish the responsibilities of both labor and management. And business operation under law instead of by unpredictable "directive."

If you wish to know more about this program, write for the free booklet, How Americans Can Earn More, Buy More, Have More. Address: National Industrial Information Committee, 14 West 49th Street, New York 20, N. Y.

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Personal News

Sgt. Vernon Kolb arrived Saturday night from Camp Lejeune, N. C., to spend a 14-day furlough at the home of his father, Vernon J. Kolb, Sr., 1210 Eighth avenue south.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Christensen, of Wells, have returned from a two week visit with Mr. and Mrs. David Heatley, Mrs. Christensen's brother-in-law and sister, in New York City, and with their son, Kenneth Christensen, of Chicago.

Pvt. Albert Finstrom, who has been spending a 21-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Finstrom, has returned to Randolph Field, Texas.

Harry Gruber, 511 Second avenue south, and Thaxter Shaw, 601 Oden avenue, will return tonight from Milwaukee where they attended the mid-winter conference of the Kiwanis club.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Weir, son, Clifford, and daughter, Marilyn, 1014 Lake Shore Drive, have returned from Chicago where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Weir's brother-in-law, W. J. Schmidt. Miss Shirley Weir, who is training as a cadet nurse at the University of Minnesota, in Minneapolis, also attended the funeral.

Eva Mae Farrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Farrell, 300 North 15th street, WAVES enlistee, is leaving Monday night to begin her basic training at Hunter college, New York City.

Cpl. Louis Kositzky has arrived from Camp Plaquemine, New Orleans, La., to spend a 20-day furlough with his wife, the former Fern Iverson, of Newhall, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kositzky.

Miss Harriet Loeffler returned Monday night from a vacation visit in Milwaukee with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Schaefer, her brother-in-law and sister, and with friends in Chicago.

Margaret Flanders, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Z. Flanders, has resumed her duties as a civil service employee at the Great Lakes Naval Training Center, after spending the holidays at her home in Escanaba. Miss Flanders makes her home with her aunt, Mrs. Harold Dodds, of Stewart avenue, Waukegan, Ill.

Miss Charmaine Ann Freeman returned to her home in Manistique Sunday morning after a two week visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Robinson, 519 South Eighth street.

Mrs. Anna Lequia has returned from Marinette where she attended the funeral of her cousin, Mrs. John Nault.

MM 3/c Lloyd Villeneuve has arrived from Port Angeles, Wash., called by the serious illness of his father, Joseph Villeneuve, who is a patient at St. Francis hospital. He is visiting while here with members of his family at the E. J. Breaux home.

Sgt. William Servant is leaving today to return to Camp Howze, Texas, following a furlough spent here at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Servant, 637 North 18th street.

Pvt. Dale Rehnquist left last night to return to Camp Crowder, Mo., after spending two days here

with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rehnquist, 228 South 18th street.

Mrs. Arthur Arbour, 321 Ludington street, has returned from Manistique where she visited her mother, Mrs. Albert Foye, and other relatives over the weekend.

Lt. and Mrs. Robert Embs are leaving Thursday for Kalamazoo where they will spend several days at the home of Mrs. Embs' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bookeloo, following a visit here with Lt. Embs' mother, Mrs. Lillian Embs, 325 South 17th street. From Kalamazoo they will go to Lincoln, Neb.

Dale Sviland, 1113 First avenue south, returned Saturday night from Milwaukee where he spent several days.

F. E. Mackey of Duluth left Escanaba Sunday after spending several days here on business.

Miss Betty Lancour of Flat Rock who has been employed in Chicago has recently come to Escanaba where she is working.

Mrs. E. Thomas of Oconto, Wis., is spending several days in Escanaba on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Dishno and daughter, who have been visiting here at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dishno, 308 North 20th street, and Mr. and Mrs. John Farrell, 416 South 18th street, have returned to their home in Chicago.

Mrs. James Boyle left yesterday morning to return to Indianapolis, Ind., following a holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Axel Anderson, 217 South 16th street, and other relatives.

Mr. Boyle is remaining for a longer visit, and will return to Indianapolis.

Clayton Johnson left yesterday morning to return to Waukegan, Ill., following a visit with his mother, Mrs. August Johnson, 323 North 16th street.

Mrs. Walter Karl Dickson left yesterday morning to return to Lima, Ohio, where she is employed as assistant dietitian at the Lima Memorial hospital, following a holiday vacation spent at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Royce, 220 South Fourth street.

Miss Thelma Kositzky who has been visiting relatives and friends in Escanaba, has returned to Powers where she is employed at Pinecrest sanatorium.

Miss June Madden left yesterday morning to return to Washington, D. C., where she is employed, following a visit with her grandmother, Mrs. John Lund, Gladstone, Route One.

Mr. and Mrs. David Douglas who have been visiting Mrs. Douglas' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin King, 515 South Fifth street, over the holidays, returned yesterday to their home in Milwaukee. Another house guest at the King home, Mrs. Walter Remus, has also returned to Milwaukee.

Pfc. Clyde Hardwick left yesterday morning to return to Washington, D. C., following a furlough spent at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hardwick, of Wells.

Mrs. Ray Ford and daughter, Beverly, who have been visiting Mrs. Ford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Stockemer, 302 South 15th street, left yesterday to return to Green Bay.

Miss Eva Marie Tebo who has been temporarily employed in Escanaba returned to her home in Stephenson yesterday.

Miss Phyllis LaPalm left yesterday morning to return to Chicago where she is employed, following a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex LaPalm, 815 North 19th street.

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Newberry, Mich.—Mrs. Menzies 2 bedsocks, Mrs. J. Barrett, 1 pr. bedsock, 1 sleeved sweater, Mrs. Campbell 1 pr. bedsock, Mrs. Kettner 5 kitbags, Mrs. Matelske 10 kitbags, Mrs. O. Frang 1 pr. gloves.

Briefs
First Lt. Edward C. Lewin of the 8th Air Force Fighter, stationed in England, has been awarded the distinguished flying cross for extraordinary achievements in aerial flight. He also holds the air medal with seven oak leaf clusters. Lt. Lewin's wife, Mrs. Marcella M. Lewin lives in Newberry. His parents, Rev. and Mrs. John E. Lewin, formerly of Newberry, live at Cheboygan, Michigan.

John Haringer of McMillan, underwent an appendectomy Sunday at the Newberry clinic.

Mrs. Ruth Gibson was discharged from Newberry clinic Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Libby of Newberry are the parents of a baby girl, born at Newberry clinic Saturday, January 6, at six p. m. The baby weighed 5 pounds and 3 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gunn are the parents of a baby boy, born at Newberry clinic Friday, January 5th.

Ensign

Ensign—Mr. and Mrs. Julius Papienau and son, Winton, and Mrs. E. Roland Bouchard and son Brian of Ensign, returned to their home from Allegan, Mich., where they spent the holidays with Mrs. Raymond James and children. Mrs. Bouchard and Mrs. James are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Papienau.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Britten, of Escanaba called in Ensign Wednesday.



SUMMER PLAYCLOTHES PREVIEW — Aztec - Inspired Sun Styles Are Hits of First Showings

BY EPSIE KINARD

NEA Staff Writer

New York—Though the calendar leaves no doubt that it's winter, summer has arrived in New York shops—or at least the newest resort collections make it seem so. Once planned for southbound play girls, today's lines are primarily designed to give war-working women on the home front a preview of next year's sun styles and an opportunity to start planning vacation wardrobes.

Some of next summer's sure-fire hits hail from California, bear the style stamp of Louis Tobak and

the flare of a clever young designer, Stella of Hollywood, who went to one of Mexico's little known cities for inspiration.

You see a sample of what she brought back in the Aztec-influenced braid which flashes like lightning on clam digger shorts—expect to see a lot of these—of black butcher linen, a linen-like rayon (upper right), which combines 23-inch length pants with a cap sleeve midriff top.

Black, which last summer won its style spurs as a spectacular foil against white sand and tawny skin, is going great guns in new play clothes. It pops up again in all sorts of togs, and the smart swim suit modeled center, with ruffling added to soften the bra top and flatter the waist, illustrates the use of Mexican loop trim—adapted from a white embroidery which edges senioritis petticoats.

You see the loop trim again—this time in black—edging the white butcher linen sun-dress (left) version of the swim suit.

For fabric interest—a satin strip cotton of Hope Skillman design—bold Victorian stripes in lime, green and white, and clever styling combine to make the three-piece togs at lower right a popular mix-and-match outfit. The cardigan top, which shows clever manipulation of stripes to broaden shoulders and whittle down a waistline, may be worn with many things besides the dark green celanese shorts and buttoned-up skirt with which it is teamed.

Church Events

Mission Circle Today

The Mission Circle of the First Presbyterian church will meet in Westminster Hall this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Clarence Zerbel will review "Burma Surgeon." Mrs. A. N. Wilson will have charge of the devotionals and will report on the Synodical meeting in Grand Rapids. Hostesses are Mrs. Victor Thorin, Mrs. Clifford Beaudin and Mrs. William Kelly. All members of the Circle and their friends are cordially invited and urged to attend.

West Ford River Clinic Thursday

School health examinations will be conducted by Dr. M. A. Elstein and Opal Imonen, R. N., of the Delta county health unit, at the West Ford River school, Thursday, January 11, beginning at 9:30 o'clock. Physical examination will be given all children enrolled and immunization will be available for neighborhood and school children.

Production Room Reopens Today

The production room at Red Cross headquarters is resuming operations today, following the holiday vacation period, during which it was closed. National headquarters has requested 300 additional kit bags within the next eight weeks, to augment the present shipment, and all sewers are urged to report for this work.

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BY DR. GEORGE W. CRANE
CASE E-259: Selma V., aged 32, married an older widower with three small daughters. Her story should be an antidote for much of the delinquency and broken homes today. Read it and re-read it.

"Several years ago I married the best man in the world. He was 17 years older than I am, and had been married before, but his first wife died, leaving him with three sweet little girls.

"Today—after 10 of the happiest years of my life—I am telling you my story so it may be of help to others who contemplate marrying older men or widowers with children.

"Our three girls are beautiful. I love them and they love me. Our lives together have been happy.

"Certainly, however, if one of them needed a spanking, I gave it and still do sometimes to our youngest who is almost 12.

"Their father always upheld me in whatever I tried to do, so we didn't have divided parental authority to upset them.

"I've always tried to do as my husband would want me to handle affairs, and I listen to his opinions. Why not, for he is older and more experienced, isn't he?

Stepmothers To Write About
Our oldest daughter is now in college and I hope to see the other two receive the same type of education.

"Sure—their Dad sometimes molded his life into the man I love today.

"I don't believe I would have had it different if I could. The girls call me 'Mamma' on their own initiative, and the older one always seeks my advice about her dates, letter writing, etc.

"I don't try to be a ruler over them, but a companion and confidante.

"My husband is good as gold to me. He has never left the house in these 10 years without kissing me goodbye and also kissing me when he returns.

"You know, kisses and little acts of thoughtfulness will make a woman go without a new dress or fur coat. (I have both.)

"He and the girls are very fond of my cooking. Oh, we have had our little arguments. They come and go.

"But we love and live. **Where God Dwells—Happiness.**

"But after all has been said, I must mention the most important ingredient of our marital happiness. God lives in our home!

"I never could have done so well without God's help. He gives me courage and strength through it all.

"I pray often and have faith that God makes us what we are, when we help him to help ourselves.

"My father's last words before he died were these: 'Put your trust in God.'

"My husband is happy and frequently tells me he is. He says the best work he ever did was when he proposed to me. Then he laughingly adds that my biggest mistake was when I married him!

"But that was also my best day! Please tell other people that marriage can be the most beautiful life, if you live it properly."

Women Want Words
Many husbands fall because

Miss Pattison
Honor Student

East Lansing, Mich., Jan. 8—Cathryn Pattison, Escanaba sophomore at Michigan State college who achieved a 2.812 grade point average during fall quarter, contributed highly to the 2,054 average, slightly better than a "B," made by the group of 143 students attending MSC on alumni scholarships, Glen O. Stewart, director of alumni relations, announced recently.

Of the 50 sophomores in the group, Miss Pattison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Pattison, 1301 Eighth avenue south, ranked fourth with her almost all-A record.

Alumni scholarships are awarded to students in the upper third of their high school class who warrant scholarship aid and are continued through the four-year course if superior grades are maintained.

Bathke-Pearse
Engagement Told

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Bathke, of 1214 Eighth avenue south, of the engagement of their daughter, Carol Louise, to Lt. (j.g.) Donald E. Pearse, son of Capt. and Mrs. Forrest F. Pearse, of Rogers City.

The date of the wedding has not been set.

Miss Bathke attended Lawrence college at Appleton, Wis., and Carleton college at Northfield, Minn., following her graduation from Escanaba high school, and she received her degree at Central Michigan college at Mt. Pleasant. She has been teacher of kindergarten at Oscoda, Mich. for the past three years. Lt. Pearse was a student at Central Michigan college at the time of his enlistment in the Naval Air Corps. He recently returned from two years service in the South Pacific.

they don't articulate their love. They don't say it. Women want words! Especially sweet, complimentary words.

Praise their pie or hats, their new dress or clean curtains. Train yourself to symbolize your love in verbal form. They'll forgive your faults, if you do!

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Social - Club

Meeting Postponed
The meeting of the Past Noble Grand club, scheduled for this evening, has been postponed and will be held Tuesday evening, January 16.

Youth Fellowship
The United Youth Fellowship will meet at 7:15 o'clock Wednesday evening at the Episcopal church. Grace Peterson will be in charge of the meeting.

Delta Hive Meeting
Delta Hive, No. 329, L. O. T. M., will hold a regular meeting on Thursday evening at the North Star hall, the meeting opening with a 6:30 o'clock pot-luck supper. Games will be played after the meeting.

Installation Meeting
Joint installation of officers of the North Star and Morning Star societies will be held Wednesday evening, January 10, beginning at 8 o'clock, at the North Star hall. A program will be given, with Ed Henriksen furnishing the music for the social hour, and lunch will be served. All members of both organizations are urged to attend.

Meeting Postponed
A regular meeting of the G. I. A. to the B. of L. E., scheduled for today, has been cancelled and will be held next Tuesday, January 16, instead.

Guild Card Party
St. Patrick's Guild is entertaining at a card party Wednesday evening, January 10, at the parish hall. Contract, auction and five hundred will be played. The public is cordially invited.

Legion Auxiliary
The Legion Auxiliary will hold its regular meeting this evening at the club rooms. The meeting will be followed by games, and the public is invited to attend. Florence Colbert is chairman and Nettie Seidl, co-chairman, of the committee in charge.

For every graduating pilot, the Army's Technical Training Command must turn out from ten to 20 mechanics and technicians.

Miss Thompson
Is The Bride Of
Mr. Don Anderson

Miss Anna Mae Thompson, daughter of Mrs. Agnes Thompson, 509 1/2 First avenue south, became the bride of Donald G. Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Anderson, 914 Second avenue south, at a ceremony which took place on Saturday morning, Dec. 30, at St. Joseph's church. Rev. Fr. Alphonse Wilberding officiated at the ceremony. The altar of the church was decorated with white baby chrysanthemums.

The bride wore navy blue suit with fuchsia accessories and a corsage of white carnations; and her attendant, Miss Helen Anderson, sister of the bridegroom, wore a blue and white suit with matching accessories and a corsage of pink carnations. Mrs. Anderson chose a green ensemble and wore a corsage of token roses. Because of illness, Mrs. Thompson was unable to attend her daughter's wedding.

Robert Gray of the U. S. Merchant Marine served Mr. Anderson as best man.

A wedding breakfast for the bridal party was held at the Delta hotel, and 125 guests attended the reception at the home of the bridegroom's parents.

Mrs. Anderson, a graduate of Escanaba senior high school, now employed at the Michigan Bell Telephone company's local office, will remain at the home of her mother for the immediate future. Mr. Anderson, a graduate of St. Joseph high school, has returned to Milwaukee where he is a student at Marquette university.

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ASSETS	Dollars	Cts.
Loans and discounts (including \$151.64 overdrafts)	\$	583,062.52
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed		2,650,054.54
Obligations of States and political subdivisions		358,273.54
Other bonds, notes, and debentures		207,989.28
Corporate stocks (including \$7,050.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)		7,050.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection		805,693.72
Bank premises owned \$34,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$7,500.00		41,500.00
Other assets		100.00
Total Assets	\$	4,653,723.60

LIABILITIES	Dollars	Cts.
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$	1,127,663.20
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		2,723,925.80
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)		296,753.40
Deposits of States and political subdivisions		172,258.32
Deposits of banks		3,363.00
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)		30,060.62
Total Liabilities	\$	4,354,024.34

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	Dollars	Cts.
Capital	\$	150,000.00
Surplus		100,000.00
Undivided profits		46,859.26
Reserves		2,840.00
Total Capital Accounts		299,699.26

Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts

* This bank's capital consists of: Common stock with total par value of \$150,000.00.

MEMORANDA
Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):
(a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities \$ 763,900.00

(e) Total Secured and preferred liabilities:
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law

(e) Total

I, Wm. Warmington, Vice President and Cashier, of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct Attest:
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NEW TEACHERSMiss Burkland, James
Berkley Resign
Positions

Irving R. Johns, who will be graduated from the Northern Michigan College of Education, Marquette, has been engaged to succeed Miss Marie Burkland as supervisor of music in the Gladstone public schools. It was learned yesterday from Supt. Wallace C. Cameron.

Miss Burkland has submitted her resignation effective the end of the present semester. Illness of her father necessitates her return to her parental home near Stephenson.

Johns is a graduate of Negaunee high school. He played with the Negaunee band for six years and the past two years was vocal soloist at the summer concerts. He has been active in Boy Scout, Hi-Y and Sons of Legion work.

James Berkley is also leaving at the end of the semester to enter a theological school in the east. No successor has been engaged.

City Briefs

Mrs. Fred Malnar, 410 Wisconsin avenue, has received word from her husband who is employed at Baraboo, Wis., that he has been ill, suffering from quincy sore throat. Ill since January 3, Mr. Malnar is now recovering and expects to be return to work in several days.

Mrs. James Mitchell has returned from St. Johns and Midland, Mich., where she spent the past three weeks visiting with relatives.

Robert Wilbee left Sunday night for Minneapolis where she will visit for a week with Mrs. Mabel Whitcomb, former resident of Gladstone.

Miss Harriet Young has returned to her home in Perkins after visiting with her sister, Joy, at the Irving Anderson home.

Lt. Nora Locke of the Army Air Force Nurses Corps has been transferred to Randolph Field, Texas, where she will pursue a 9-week course at the School of Aviation Medicine. When completed Lt. Locke will be a flight nurse and will assist in removing the seriously wounded by air from battle zones to hospitals. Lt. Locke is a daughter of Mrs. Ethel Reynolds and Allen J. Reynolds of this city.

Semester Exams To
Start At GHS Today

Final examinations for the first semester will begin today at Gladstone high school and will continue through Friday.

Report cards are to be issued next Wednesday.

Following is the schedule of exams:

- First Period, Today, 1:30 to 3:30.
- Second Period, Wednesday, 9:30 to 11:30.
- Third Period, Wednesday, 1:30 to 3:30.
- Fourth Period, Thursday, 1:30 to 11:30.
- Fifth Period, Thursday, 1:30 to 3:30.
- Sixth Period, Friday, 9:30 to 11:30.
- Specials and Extras, Friday, 1:30 to 3:30.

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S.O.S. Army Needs
More Nurses

Uncle Sam has issued an urgent SOS to American women to respond to the Army's critical need of 10,000 more nurses. Combat casualties are mounting at an unprecedented rate on battle fronts, and the ratio of nurses needed lags far behind. In 1941, Army detailed 120 nurses to each 500 men in 1000-bed military hospitals. Today the ratio averages 83 nurses and their assistants to 450 enlisted men. Eleven Army hospital units had to be sent overseas without nurses, an unprecedented condition in this war. To answer Uncle Sam's SOS, see your Red Cross chapter chairman. (NEA PHOTO.)

Briefly Told

ORC Auxiliary — A regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Order of Railway Conductors is to be held Wednesday evening at 7:45 o'clock at the Eagles hall. Dues will be accepted at this time.

WBA Meeting — A meeting of the Woman's Benefit association is to be held at the home of Mrs. Z. P. Cornell, 717 Michigan avenue, at 7:30 o'clock tonight.

Confirmation Class — The confirmation class of St. Paul's Lutheran church meets at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon for instruction.

Prayer Meeting — A prayer meeting for the Mission Covenant congregation will be held tonight at 7:45 o'clock at the home of Isaac Swanson on North Eighth street. This starts an observance of the Universal Prayer Week which will continue through Thursday night.

Ladies' Aid — The Ladies' Aid society of the First Lutheran church will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the church parlors. Mrs. John Mathy is to be the hostess.

Maccabee Meeting — Installation of officers will be held by the Lady Maccabees tonight in the Eagles hall. There will be at 6:30 o'clock dinner with the installation following.

Yacht Club Elects
Staff This Evening

Election of officers will be conducted at the annual meeting of the Gladstone Yacht club to be held tonight at 8 o'clock at the clubhouse at the foot of Tenth street.

Lunch will be served following the business session. Present officers of the club are Clarence Royer, commodore; Leo DeRebeck, vice commodore; Earl Louis, rear commodore; Vernon White, financial secretary; Douglass Mathison, recording secretary. Members of the official staff and James T. Jones and E. H. Huesener comprise the board of directors.

Last Rites Held
For John Butler

Funeral services for John Butler, 76, Skelton Road, were conducted yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Kelley funeral home, the Rev. Clifford Peterson officiating. Burial was made in Fernwood cemetery.

pallbearers were Gerald Nicholas, Walter Seroniko, Rudolph Zadnik and Ralph Clausen.

Butler during his lifetime worked on many railroads of the nation. He passed away Saturday at his home on Skelton Road.

Two daughters, residing someplace in Ohio, survive.

Ski Party Planned
For Thursday Night

The second evening ski party of the season is to be held Thursday night at the Sports Park.

Music for dancing will be by Capehart and the machine will be run free of charge.

Mrs. George Holmberg is chairman of the committee in charge of lunch.

News From Men
In The Service

Sgt. Andrew Valencia has arrived safely in Italy according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Valencia of Kipling. A brother, **Pfc. Rudolph Valencia**, was transferred recently to Camp Bowie, Texas. A third brother, **T./Sgt. Mat Valencia**, is stationed at Fort Mason, Calif.

Rapid River

Royal Neighbors Meeting — Rapid River — The Royal Neighbors will hold their regular meeting this evening at the home of Mrs. Emma Groleau. Plans for installation will be made at this meeting.

Calvary Lutheran Aid — The Ladies' Aid society of Calvary Lutheran church held their regular meeting Thursday afternoon in the church room. The following officers were elected for the new year: president, Mrs. Ole Wickstrom; vice president, Mrs. Oscar Johnson; secretary, Mrs. Frank Nygren; treasurer, Mrs. Nels Pearson. Due to the cold weather the attendance was small and committee appointments were left to a later date.

Schools Opened Wednesday — The local schools opened Wednesday. Miss Loretta McCarthy, the kindergarten and first grade teacher, who was ill at her home was not present. Mrs. Kenneth Scott is substituting during Miss McCarthy's illness.

P. T. A. Meeting — The Rapid River P. T. A. will meet Thursday, Jan. 11 in the gym. A business session will be held and the program to be presented will be a radio skit by the ninth grade students.

Games will be played for which prizes will be donated by the students. A small fee will be charged to those wishing to play. The new tops for the dining tables have come and it is hoped they will be installed for the meeting. Lunch will be served. A good attendance is desired.

Cpl. Marley Roberts arrived Monday from Iceland where he has been for some time. He will spend a 30 day furlough and then report to Fort Sheridan for assignment.

Mrs. Ida Vietzke is visiting in Chicago with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Harris and family.

Mrs. James Kennedy returned Sunday from a five days visit at Minneapolis where she went to attend the funeral of a friend, Joseph Martin.

Miss Elsie Weaver who spent

LOCAL BOY IS
WAR CASUALTYPfc. Irving Anderson Is
Slightly Wounded In
Germany

Pfc. Irving C. Anderson of Gladstone, a member of the 112th Infantry, was slightly wounded in action in Germany on December 17, according to word received by his wife.

Anderson before entering service in March 3 years ago was employed here. He trained at various camps in Louisiana, Florida and Virginia before going overseas.

Anderson is a son of Mr. and Mrs. August Anderson of the Buckeye addition.

Luther Leaguers to
Hold Banquet Tonight

A Luther league banquet is scheduled to be held tonight at 6:30 o'clock in the parlors of the First Lutheran church.

The program will be as follows: Welcome, Dorothy Dausey, league president.

Vocal solo, Carol Coven. Musical selection, Wallace Cameron. Mrs. Cameron, accompanist.

Speech, C. G. Nauschuetz, Escanaba. Topic, "Spiritual Radar." Song, Girls' quartet composed of Margaret Jean Hult, Laverne Mathison, Joyce Lindahl and Marilyn Nelson.

Piano solo, Wanda Lee Vogt. The Stonington Luther league will also present a short program.

None Are Injured
In Auto Collision

State police investigated a collision between autos driven by Miss Naomi Vinnette, 400 South 14th street, Escanaba, and Mrs. Lenore Thivierge, 1624 Dakota avenue, Gladstone, which occurred Sunday on US-2 and 41, just west of the Chicago & Northwestern RR viaduct.

The autos going in opposite directions sideswiped.

None was injured in the crash. Damage to the Vinnette auto was reported to be extensive.

Hermansville

School Opens — Hermansville — The Meyer Township school reopened on Monday morning after a two weeks' recess for the holidays.

Elroy Weaver and Edward Malone have returned to New York after spending the past two weeks visiting at the home of their parents.

Miss Dora Pieron has returned to Rochester, Minn., after spending the past two weeks visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Pieron.

Mrs. Otto Bartl is spending a few days visiting relatives in Fond du Lac, Wis.

Pic. Mike Machalk has returned to California after spending the past few weeks visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Draga Machalk.

S. 2/c Derwayne Bellmore of Norfolk Virginia is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bellmore.

George LaCourse has returned from Ecorse after spending the past few weeks visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Genevieve and Cecelia Thomas have returned from Chicago after spending the holidays visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Simonick.

William Reinke of Marinette was a business caller here on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Zimmerman have returned to Ecorse after spending a few days visiting relatives here.

Supt. and Mrs. Hugh MacEachern have returned from Chicago after spending the holidays visiting relatives.

Ensign Frances Floriano of Great Lakes spent the week end visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Floriano.

Miss Anna Floriano has returned to East Lansing after spending the holidays visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Floriano.

Mrs. Eval Fletcher and son Roger are visiting relatives in Green Bay.

Seaman Lambert Maas who has returned from the South Pacific spent Saturday visiting friends here.

Mrs. Stanford Grimes has returned to Manistique after spending the past few weeks visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schwartz.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Haglund of Norway spent Sunday visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Marana.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Marana of Menominee spent Sunday visiting relatives.

Mrs. Draga Machalk is visiting at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Art Polazzo in Menominee.

the holiday vacation at her home in Shelby arrived Monday and left Tuesday with Edyth Proehl for Marquette where they attend Michigan College of Education.

Miss Helen Wils returned to Marquette Tuesday where she is a student at Michigan College of Education.

Capt. K. Mattson
Recently Married
At Bay City

Announcement was made here this week of the marriage on December 23 at Bay City, of Miss Betty Jane Peterson, of that city to Capt. Kurt Raphael Mattson, son of Mrs. Abraham Mattson, of Manistique.

The yows were exchanged at a service conducted at the First Presbyterian church with Dr. Frederick Roblee officiating, assisted by the Rev. Homer D. Mitchell.

The bride wore for the occasion a white faille silk gown, fashioned with a fitted bodice, long pointed sleeves and a square scalloped neckline. She wore a long court train with a hoop skirt and her long veil was held in place with ostrich tips. She carried a bouquet of white orchids and stephanotis.

Miss Elizabeth Ann Peterson, sister of the bride, as bridesmaid, chose an olive green faille gown designed with ruffles around the low round neckline of the fitted bodice, which had three-quarter length sleeves. Her bouquet contained American beauty roses. Wesley B. Orr, of Grosse Pointe, brother-in-law of the bridegroom, was best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother.

Capt. and Mrs. Mattson have gone to Alexandria, Va., where he is stationed at nearby Fort Belvoir.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ahlstrom, Mr. and Mrs. John Lindstrom, and Mrs. Victor Carlson, all of Manistique, were present at the wedding. Miss Shirley Orr, formerly of Manistique, but now of Detroit, was also among the wedding guests.

City Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. James Fox, former residents of this city, and now residing in Pontiac, are the parents of a son, Jerome Hugh, born December 1 at the St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Pontiac. Mrs. Fox was the former Lillian Kendall.

Misses Virginia and Clara Matthews of the Soo spent the holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Matthews. They expect to leave January 18 for Tiffin, Ohio, where they will attend a Civil Service College.

Harriet and Eleanor Abramson, Tel. 2-c left Friday for Washington, D. C., after spending a few days here at the Theron Southard home. They will visit a few days in Detroit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Abramson enroute to their base.

Sgt. Lawrence St. Andre is visiting here with relatives and friends. He has been in Italy for some time.

Misses Betty and Carole St. John have returned to Muskegon after visiting over the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred St. John.

Mrs. Warren McGregor left Friday to visit with her husband who is stationed in Colorado.

William and Joseph St. Andre are visiting with relatives and friends at Naubinway.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Abramson have returned to Detroit after visiting here at the Richard Abramson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard St. Andre has returned here after visiting in Naubinway with Sgt. Lawrence St. Andre who is home on leave.

George DuPont, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George DuPont, left yesterday morning to return to West DePere, Wis., where he is a student at St. Norbert's.

T. S. Walter J. Whitman left yesterday morning to return to Schick General Hospital in Clinton, Iowa, following a furlough spent at the home of his mother, Mrs. Clara Casemore.

Ernest Cournaya
Begins Training As
An Aviation Pilot

Aviation Cadet Ernest J. Cournaya, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Cournaya, and husband of Mrs. Florence M. Cournaya, all of Manistique has reported to the AAF Training Command's advanced flying school here to begin the final nine weeks phase of pilot training.

After flying 70 hours in two engine training planes and taking 70 lecture hours of combat subjects in ground school, he will be awarded the silver wings of an AAF pilot and appointed a flight officer or be commissioned a second lieutenant.

He is stationed at the Altus Army Air Field, Altus, Okla.

Pvt. LeRoy Skoog
Completes Special
Training Course

Pvt. LeRoy Skoog, of 502 West Elk street, has completed a four year course in specialized training at the 300th AAF Base Unit (Military Police Training Center), Barksdale Field, Louisiana, and has been assigned to duty at Lake Charles, Louisiana.

SOME STRETCH

Snakes, because of the elastic hinges on their jaws, are able to swallow prey four times larger than the normal diameter of their throats.



BIG PUSH ON THE TRUNK LINE—Using his head in a big way, Karunavathi, Indian power elephant, helps G. L.'s move a 2600-pound electric refrigerator into the Post Exchange of the Southeast Asia Command headquarters. Karunavathi's pay for the job was a quarter stalk of bananas and bread. (Signal Corps Photo from NEA.)

Lincoln School
Will Conduct
Waste Fat Drive

Students of Lincoln school will conduct a fat salvage drive on Thursday, January 11 and the public is asked to co-operate with them in the effort.

Mrs. Vert Guldebeck and Mrs. Theodore Richards are overseeing the drive and state that children are already bringing in waste fat and will continue to bring it in until the drive is completed. Anyone having waste fat to donate should remember this and have their contribution to the drive ready when the children call.

Those who do not have children in the school may send it with their neighbor's children and the children will return the red tokens to them after the sale is disposed of.

Obituary

DR. JAMES A. MACPHAIL

Funeral services will be conducted this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Kefauver & Jackson home, for Dr. James Alexander MacPhail, 67, veterinarian, who died at his home in Thompson Saturday afternoon. The Rev. William Harvey will conduct the services and burial will be in Fairview cemetery.

Dr. MacPhail was born in Alvinston, Ontario and came to this vicinity shortly after his graduation from the Grand Rapids veterinary college thirty-five years ago.

Surviving him are his wife, Mrs. Matilda MacPhail, of Thompson; two sisters, Mrs. Margaret Campbell, and Mrs. Ann Campbell, Alvinston, Ont.; and three brothers, Duncan MacPhail, New Westminster, B. C.; Malcolm, Bedford, Sask.; and Peter Alvinston, Ont.

HENRY O. KLEIST

Last rites for Henry A. Kleist, 59, life-long resident of this vicinity, who died Saturday afternoon at the home of his sister, Mrs. William Laux, will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Kefauver & Jackson funeral home.

Rev. P. S. Nestander of Zion Lutheran church will conduct the services. Burial will be in the Lakeview cemetery.

Mr. Kleist was born in Manistique on August 28, 1885 and during his active years engaged in farming, operating a farm in Manistique township with his brother, Charles. He never married.

He was a member of the Evangelical Lutheran church of Manistique township and was also active in the Grange of that community. At one time he served as master of the Manistique township Grange.

Surviving are his brother, Charles and two sisters, Mrs. Wm. Laux of Manistique and Mrs. William Morrison of Munising.

Social

Farewell Party

Mrs. Ed Swanson entertained twelve girls Friday evening at her home on Alger avenue at a surprise farewell party in honor of her niece, Miss Jane Nelson.

Games were played throughout the evening, after which delicious refreshments were served from a table decorated in the Christmas motif.

Miss Nelson left Saturday for Akron, Ohio, where she will be employed. She was presented with a lovely gift from her guests who were Betty Barnes, Madeline Olesak, Norma Nelson, Grace Martinson, Linnea Anderson, Betty Jean Nelson, Betty Elliott, Helen Swanson, Phyllis and Berneda Archey, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Swanson, sons, Ralph and Robert, and Mrs. Oscar Swanson.

Fifty-five per cent of Guatemala's population are pure blooded Indians.

LOCAL BOY SEES
TOWN RESTOREDPvt. Connie Romer Sees
French Town Rejoice
Over Liberation

Life in a French village before and after its liberation took full effect as interestingly described by Pvt. Connie Romer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Romer, 305 North Second street, who is serving with an engineer's battalion. He writes in part: "You will probably remember that in my last letter, I told you that this town was absolutely dead. Well, it sure has come to life. The streets are all cleaned up, windows have been replaced, stores are opened and the cafes are going strong. "Most of the people are back, so a fellow has a little fun once in a while. The people are well posted in English. When a guy goes into a cafe here he is waited on the same as he is in the states. In England, you never had anyone order your drinks. You had to order them yourself and take them back to the table—if there was a table.

"I attended a French show the other evening and it was really good. That same day the French had a celebration observing the liberation of the town. There was a parade by the French and American soldiers and the church bells rang for a whole hour. It was the first time the bells had chimed."

Connie writes that he has been in plenty of action but the censor wouldn't let him tell where. He says that there is plenty of snow and cold where he is. Mail, he says, has been far from regular.

The young soldier expresses himself in he-man fashion about "that jerk" Sinatra. "He may be tops on your list," he says, "but he is way down 'below the bottom' of the list with the guys over here. He may make the moon more real when he croons but the moon should blush with shame at having a jerk like Frankie sing about it."

Things are very expensive in France he says.

He also sends along a very interesting map showing the itinerary of the XX corps from St. Jacques to Verdun—600 miles in 30 days, rated as one of the fastest long distance marches of an embattled corps in all history.

this evening at 8 o'clock at the church. A good program has been prepared. A large attendance is desired.

Shipman Coming—Joseph H. Shipman, supervisor, vocational rehabilitation for the state board, will interview handicapped veterans and civilians interested in vocational training or job placement, at the Alger-Schoolcraft county health department in the basement of the court house, Manistique, at 1:30 o'clock, Wednesday, Jan. 10. He will also be at the U. S. Employment Service in Escanaba from 9 till 12 a. m. for similar interviews on Thursday, Jan. 11.

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Briefly Told

Meeting Postponed—The regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors has been postponed until a later date due to the illness of several members.

P. T. A. Meeting—The Lincoln-Riverside P. T. A. will hold a regular meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Lincoln school. The fourth grade room mothers will be hostesses. There will be a band program.

War Service Club—Members of the War Service Club will meet Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. A. H. Mott. All members are urged to attend.

Presbyterian Guild—The Presbyterian Guild will meet Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the church parlors. All members are urged to attend.

St. Alban's Church—The annual meeting of St. Alban's parish will be held Thursday evening in the church. The meeting will be preceded by a supper at 6:30 which will be served by the men of the parish. All members are invited to be present. Reports of the past year's work will be given and six Vestrymen will be elected to serve for this year.

SNEAD PUTTER SNARES \$2,666

Hitter From Hot Springs
Wins Los Angeles Open
With 283 Total

BY RUSS NEWLAND
Los Angeles, Jan. 8 (AP)—Nonchalantly knocking in a four-foot putt on the 18th green, Sam Snead, the man they all have to beat in golf, won the 19th annual Los Angeles open tournament today with a 72-hole score of 283.

The long hitter from Hot Springs, Va., scored his victory the hard way, too, coming from behind to overtake four others. He turned the trick with a 35-34-69, two under for the par 35-36-71 Riviera course.

He passed up Byron Nelson, Toledo, Ohio, biggest money winner and leading golfer of 1944; John Revolta, Evanston, Ill.; Ray Mangrum, Los Angeles, and Sam Byrd, Detroit, Mich. Byrd and Revolta led the Virginia by two strokes at the end of the third round. Nelson and Mangrum were a shot ahead.

Snead teed off today on even terms with Harold McSpaden, Sanford, Maine, each with 214 strokes for 54 holes. McSpaden, winner of the Los Angeles open last year, made a stout bid to repeat his honors. He posted a final 70, for a total count of 294.

Nelson, too, battled it out in a neck and neck race. He missed his big chance on the 18th green where a 20-foot putt stood between him and a tie with Snead. He missed the putt and a chance to play off for top prize. It was a \$1,000 putt.

Snead took first money, \$2,666 in war bonds and Nelson's 294 gave him \$1,600 in bonds, the same as McSpaden.

Byrd, winning \$1,066, followed with 285. Revolta and Mangrum shared the 287 bracket and Sgt. Jim Ferrier, Camp Roberts, Calif., carded a four round total of 288.

It was Snead's third victory in the five tournaments played on the current winter open circuit.

BROWNS DROP HUDLIN

St. Louis, Jan. 8 (AP)—Willis Hudlin, 39-year-old right hand pitcher, has been returned by the St. Louis Browns to the Little Rock club of the Southern Association.

Hudlin came up to the Browns in August of last season and appeared in one game.

Be Relaxed If You Want To Be Good Ice Skater

BY EVERETT MCGOWAN
Written Exclusively for (P)
Newsfeatures

(2nd of 2 articles on ice skating)
In the first story I talked about your ice skates and shoes and the importance of making sure they are properly fitted. We can now go into the actual fundamentals of skating.

To me the most important point to remember is to be natural and relaxed at all times. Any beginner can find the "key" to good skating by watching good skaters. Notice how free and easy they glide along. See if you can ever find them tense.

Most falls are brought about through this tightening up on the part of the beginner. If he will remain relaxed at all times he will seldom fall, and when he does the fall will not bother him. Relaxation permits you to keep your proper balance at all times. It makes you graceful, gives you body rhythm and insures easy skating.

As you step on the ice the first time, completely relaxed, bend your knees slightly and place one leg ahead shifting your weight to the skate of the employed foot and pushing with the rear half of the other skate. Allow your knees to bend naturally, just as you do when walking. The longer the stroke the more the knees should bend.

As you bring the foot forward for the next stroke the heel of the skate should touch the ice first. Meanwhile the unemployed foot should be lifted evenly, pushing with the rear half of the blade as it is lifted from the ice.

Swing Arm In Reverse

Whichever foot is going forward, your arm should swing in reverse. For example, when the right foot goes forward the right arm should swing backward, and then forward when the foot goes back. In this way you will maintain better balance and also gain more power in the stroke.

To illustrate, when the left foot is forward, the right shoulder should be turned slightly forward to the angle of your stroke, and the right arm swinging forward. This co-ordination of body rhythm and stroking makes for easier balance.

Beginners should never look down. Looking down throws the body off balance, hinders complete relaxation, and the result is you make no progress as a skater. Looking down at the ice or your feet tends to make most beginners

nervous and they quickly lose their balance. Look straight ahead, remain relaxed and you will maintain better balance.

Bend Knees For Speed

In making a turn your eyes and head should turn first, then the body. You should lean slightly toward the inside of the turn you are making. As you make the turn (to the left) your weight will be on the forward inside edge of the right. Bring the right foot up and over the left foot and slightly in advance of same. Then bring the left foot ahead again placing it on the ice on the outside edge and repeat with the right foot as above. In going to the right the opposite of the above will prevail.

Bend the knees more when you want to gain speed. Stand erect with the weight on the left skate. Bend the knee slightly. Place the right skate about six inches to the rear and bend the knee slightly and push. This is a short stroke. Now increase the bend in the left knee, place the right skate farther back and bend the knee more and you will find the length and power of the stroke is increased accordingly. Some skaters will find that too long a stroke hinders them so it is best to experiment to ascertain the proper length of your stroke.

It is well to remember that the above rules are for beginners and if they will follow them they should have no trouble in becoming proficient pleasure skaters. Should they decide to take up speed, figure or hockey skating, it is best to observe closely specialists in those particular styles of skating and if possible—consult them and pattern your style after theirs.

Albion Is Swamped

By Michigan State

Albion, Mich., Jan. 8 (AP)—Michigan State swamped Albion College tonight, 72 to 36, for its second basketball victory in six starts this season.

The Britons were able to stay in the game only during the first ten minutes when the Spartans took a 13 to 10 lead, but from then on, Michigan State cagers scored practically at will, holding a half-time margin of 35 to 14.

Bill Rapchak, the Spartans' substitute center, captured scoring honors, counting 23 points on 11 baskets and a free throw. Stuart Costigan led the Britons with 10 points.

No De-Emphasis On West Point Sports

BY WHITNEY MARTIN

New York, Jan. 8 (AP)—The publicity given to Army's fine football team last fall might lead to the impression that West Point is a one sport school, with our future generals concerned only with cavorting in some guy's ribs with a vicious block or giving him a permanent housemaid's knee with the same kind of a tackle.

This impression would be slightly in error. The winter sports schedule for the approximately two months between January 6 and March 3 lists no less than 103 different intercollegiate events and encompasses 10 different sports.

The high point on this program is January 27, when 15 different team events are scheduled for the Cadets.

The winter program includes schedules for varsity, junior varsity and plebe teams, and the sports involved are basketball, gymnastics, hockey, swimming, wrestling, track, boxing, fencing, rifle shooting and pistol shooting.

No matter what's happening over the rest of the country, apparently there has been no sports de-emphasis at the Point, whose graduates have shown the sound value of their undergraduate athletic training.

Our distinguished colleague, S/Sgt. Mark Barron, who covered the drama before joining the armed services, writes from some town in some country where some of our boys are located:

"Your 'FOB Berlin' correspondent can report this. In one town I bounded into I saw Marcel Thill, the former middleweight champion. He is in good shape, now doing athletic training of youngsters in the French army."

"He got a couple of medals for his work with the French resistance. The Germans chopped down the door of his apartment but fortunately he was away. He also is in the coal and wood business in a town which cannot be revealed. Says tell Mike Jacobs and Dan Parker hello."

Thill won the world middleweight title on a foul in a bout with Gorilla Jones in Paris in 1932.

CUB PITCHER IN ARMY

Chicago, Jan. 8 (AP)—The Chicago Cubs reported today that Pitcher Leslie (Bill) Fleming, a nine-game winner last season, had entered the army. Club officials said they did not know when Fleming was inducted or where he now was stationed.

Hunting And Fishing

By Sid Gordon

A NEW BAIT FOR FISHERMEN

The phone rang this morning and the owner of a tackle shop was talking. He said, "Sid, there's a salesman here with a new bait for the fisherman. I'd like your opinion concerning it."

He described it as being the larva of a beetle. This concern will ship them to him in cans, and alive. The fisherman simply puts them in a small bait box, reaches in the box and attaches them to his hook.

When a female beetle drops her eggs, they do not hatch directly into a beetle. The egg hatches into an altogether different form, so different that it in no way resembles the parents any more than does the egg of the common fly producing a maggot.

We call the maggot the larva of the fly just as we call the caterpillar the larva of the butterfly or the moth. This grub of the beetle or to be more correct, this larva, should make excellent bait and the fishermen will welcome it, was my thought.

Then I had another thought. If we fishermen buy this bait, some of those larva will get away and we will unconsciously be stocking the whole country with this species of beetles. The pine beetle lays about 10,000 eggs and is a curse to the country. Hundreds of other species are also terrible pests in our forests and gardens.

"Get the common scientific name from the salesman of the beetle larva," I said to the dealer. He informed me that the salesman did not know the common name but that the scientific name was Tenebrio molitor and the other was Tenebrio obscura.

This meant nothing to me, for I can find nothing about its life history, and I so informed the dealer. Then the dealer told me that the department of interior allowed it to be sold to the public, so it must be harmless.

It may well be that these larvae and the beetles which come from them are harmless. I thought of the "harmless" carp minnows which the United States allowed to be planted in this country and everyone knows the great harm they have done to much of our good fishing water.

Before we allow anything like this bait, beetle larvae, all over this country we must insist that the sellers put this on their labels: "Approved by the department of agriculture."

This will not be allowed until they study this beetle, know its habits and can give us the low down on it. I surely hope it proves satisfactory for beetle larvae, like dragon fly larvae, are easy to handle and the fish will surely take them on the hook.

Note: The word larva is used when you speak of only one of them. The word larvae means more than one.

Spartan Fullback Reports For MSC Basketball Squad

East Lansing, Jan. 8 (AP)—Fullback Jack Breslin returned today from San Francisco, where he carried Spartan colors into the East-West football game, and promptly reported for service as a member of the M.S.C. basketball squad.

Coach Ben F. Van Alstyne said Breslin would fit into the basketball line at guard, but not before the game with Wayne here Jan. 20.

Frank Brogger, Saginaw left end who saw a lot of action on the East's squad, also has returned, but the college athletic office said he had not reported there and it was not certain whether he would return to school.

Purdue Is Upset By Gophers, 49-44

Minneapolis, Jan. 8 (AP)—Minnesota took the lead in the opening minute of play and went on to upset Purdue, 49-44, here tonight.

A basket by Walter Rucke, recently discharged veteran of Saipan, gave the Gophers their advantage, which they never relinquished, although Purdue threatened constantly. Minnesota led at half-time, 27-23.

BY JERRY LISKA

Chicago, Jan. 8 (AP)—Confronted by its sharpest "patch-and-pray" test since Pearl Harbor, the National Football League assemblies here tomorrow for a four-day session of player drafting and schedule and rule making.

Commenting little on the possible results of a federal work-fight edict with sharp teeth in it, league officials generally concur that only time will tell whether the 11-club circuit can go to the post next fall.

If there is any silver lining in the clouds over the play-for-pay business, it is that professional gridders can dove-tail war jobs and footballing. Actually, this has been going on for two seasons already and last season some clubs had as many as 70 per cent of their players working in essential industries.

The league had 280 players on its active list last season and about 310 who performed. Whatever inroads the proposed crack-down on 4-F's may make—four representative clubs have reported that 4-F's comprised 70 per cent of their rosters—the league can expect little or no help from a draft list of 300 or 400 collegians to be reviewed.

Manpower will be the No. 1 topic, but there's a strong possibility that the league may unleash its first retaliation at the proposed All-America conference which already has snatched such stars as Angelo Bertelli of Notre Dame and Bill Daley of Minnesota and Michigan from the National loop's draft list.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL
Wisconsin 53; Traux Field 42.
Iowa State 50; Nebraska 38.
Minnesota 49; Purdue 44.
Great Lakes 52; Valparaiso 38.
Illinois Wesleyan 69; Western State Teachers 56J



Royal Great Danes, Evanger's Hercules, left, and Heide are held under tight rein by lovely Leah Magrini at Western Specialty Clubs Association's 34th annual pure-breed show in Chicago. They were entered by F. W. Evanger of Wheeling, Ill.

The Sports Parade

By Ken Gunderman

The announcement of the baseball tournament sites in the upper peninsula reveals that the tournament program follows the same general pattern of other years, even to the maintenance of the inequalities in the districting. Crystal Falls, for instance, perennial Class C champs, is once again assured of a spot in the finals because its only opposition in its district is St. Ambrose, of Ironwood, a team that has never been a factor in tournament competition.

With only 12 Class C teams in the peninsula, some thought should be given to grouping these teams into only two districts, with the winners and runners up qualifying for the finals.

Basketball fans of Ishpeming were particularly fortunate in the tournament assignments. Ishpeming not only drew the best tournament assignment of them all in the district affairs—Classes B, D and E—but also won the regional tournament for the second consecutive year. Stephenson, which was very much disappointed in its failure to get the Class C district tournament last season, had more cause for cheer this time. Stephenson was awarded its district tournament by drawing Iron Mountain, which drew the Class B district affair for the second consecutive year. This may have been decided upon because Escanaba held the tournament two consecutive years prior to this.

There also was cause for eyebrow lifting when Iron Mountain drew the Class B district affair for the second consecutive year. This may have been decided upon because Escanaba held the tournament two consecutive years prior to this.

Q. Can you name the boxing titles which are frozen for the duration?
A. Welterweight, lightweight, middleweight, light-heavy weight and heavyweight championship.

Q. In basketball, is it legal for a player along the free throw lane to touch the line bounding the lane during a free throw?
A. No.

Q. Which team in the American League holds the record for being held scoreless the most consecutive innings?
A. Cleveland, when they were shutout 41 consecutive innings, in 1903.

TRADING TRENDS

New York, Jan. 8 (AP)—Stocks: Higher; rails, specialties lead recovery.
Bonds: Steady; rails resume climb.
Cotton: Firm; New Orleans and mill buying.
Chicago:
Wheat: Firm to strong. Sympathy with rye.
Corn: Strong. Light offerings, sympathy with rye.
Rye: Strong. Short covering.
Hog: Active, and steady to 10 cents higher.
Cattle: Prices mixed; fed steers and yearlings 25 to 50 lower.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE
New York, Jan. 8 (AP)—Closing foreign exchange rates follow (Great Britain in dollars, others in cents):
Canadian dollar in New York open market 10 1-8 per cent discount, or 89.87½ U.S. cents, unchanged.
Europe: Great Britain official, buying 84.02, selling 84.00, discount, or 89.87½ U.S. cents, unchanged.
Latin America: Argentina free 24.84, unchanged; Brazil free 5.26; Mexico 20.65.
A—Nominal.

GOVERNMENT BONDS
New York, Jan. 8 (AP)—Closing prices:
2½s, 53-49, 107-4.
2s, 5-45, Dec., 100-15.
2½s, 69-64, Dec., 100-20.
2½s, 72-67, 100-30.

Closing Quotations

NEW YORK STOCKS
Al. Chem. & Dye \$157.50
Allis Ch. Mfg. 40.62
Bethlehem Steel 22.25
Am. Car & Fdy. 40.62
Am. Locomotive 27.75
Am. Rad. & St. S. 12.25
Am. Roll. Mill 16.47
Am. Tel. & Tel. 164.50
American Tob. B. 67.00
Anaconda 30.87
Aviation Corp. 6.37
Bendix Aviation 49.25
Bethlehem Steel 22.25
Briggs Mfg. 39.25
Budd Wheel 10.50
Calumet & Hecla 8.00
Can. Dry G. Ale. 33.50
Case (J. I.) Co. 37.00
Celanese Corp. 38.62
Ches. & Ohio 33.62
Chrysler Corp. 95.00
Cont. Motors 96.00
Corn Products 60.62
Curtiss Wright 21.82
Detroit Edison 21.12
Du Pont De Nem. 130.50
Eastman Kodak 181.50
El. Power & L. 38.25
Firestone T. & R. 38.25
General Electric 40.00

General Foods 41.37
Goodyear T. & R. 51.87
Homesite Min. 44.37
Hudson Motor 15.25
Inland Steel 83.25
Int. Harvester 80.57
Int. Nickel Corp. 29.00
Johns-Manville 102.87
Kelsey Hay W. 23.00
Kennecott Copper 25.00
Kresge (S.S.) 27.75
Lib. O. F. Glass 52.50
Liggett & My. B. 72.25
Lockheed Aircraft 22.25
Miami Copper 8.12
Montgomery Ward 51.50
Motor Wheel 25.00
Nash Kelvintor 16.00
National Biscuit 24.37
Nat. Cash. Reg. 35.82
N. Y. Central RR. 27.75
N. Am. Aviation 10.75
Northern Pacific 21.12
Packard Motor 30.75
Parke Davis 109.50
Penn. RR. 26.50
Phelps Dodge 27.00
Phillips Pet. 46.00
Prector & Gam. 25.12
Remington Rand 25.12

Reo Motors Ct. 19.00
Republic Steel 21.00
Sears Roebuck 104.00
Shell Union Oil 26.37
Socoma Vacuum 15.75
Standard Brands 30.37
Std. G. & E. 84 Pf. 2.75
Standard Oil Ind. 65.25
Standard Oil N. J. 53.00
Studebaker Corp. 19.00
Swift & Co. 29.00
Timken Det. Axle 36.50
Timken R. Bear. 52.00
Union Pacific 112.25
United Aircraft 32.12
United Fruit 33.00
United Gas Imp. 14.12
U. S. Rubber 38.25
Westing Air Br. 29.67
U. S. Steel 62.50
White Motor 27.75
Woolworth (F. W.) 42.00
Youngst. Sh. & T. 42.00
Zentz Radio 29.75
NEW YORK CUBS
Centa Service 13.25
El. Bond & Sh. Pf. 37.50
Ford M. Chan. A. 22.62
Hecla Mining 9.75

CHICAGO BUTTER
Chicago, Jan. 8 (WFA)—The butter market today and unchanged at OPA ceilings.

CHICAGO EGGS
Chicago, Jan. 8 (WFA)—Eggs were steady to firm; large No. 1 and 2 extras, 45 to 45½; checks, 32 to 35; other prices unchanged.

CHICAGO POTATOES
Chicago, Jan. 8 (WFA)—Potatoes, arrivals 83, on track 120, total U. S. shipments for Saturday, 985,500. Old stock, offerings very light, demand firm, but no real selling for best stock; Idaho russet Burbanks, U. S. No. 1, 3.57; Colorado Red, U. S. No. 1, 3.42; Minnesota, U. S. No. 1, 3.01; commercial, 2.91; Florida 50-55, sacks blued, U. S. No. 1, 2.75 to 2.78 per sack.

CHICAGO GRAIN
Chicago, Jan. 8 (WFA)—Grain markets recovered from mid-session easing in a brisk final hour of trading today and prices rose sharply. Rye led the rally, establishing new seasonal highs for all three contracts and closing at the day's best figures.
Late dealings in rye overshadowed the trade in other pits. After opening ¼ of a cent higher the market dipped at mid-session under the pressure of selling by commission houses that frequently act for eastern interests.
At the finish wheat was 3-8 to 1 cent higher than Saturday's close, May \$1.66 5/8 to \$1.66 7/8, corn was up ¼ to 1, May 1.13½ to \$1.13 7/8. Oats were 1-8 to 1½ higher, May 70. Rye was up 1 to 2 1-8, May \$1.18 7-8 to \$1.19. Barley was 1 to 1½ higher, May \$1.18 3-8.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK
Chicago, Jan. 8 (WFA)—Salable hogs 18,000, total 28,000; active, steady to 10 cents higher; good and choice barrows and gilts 180 lbs. and up, 14.65 to 14.75; most 14.75 trade; few good and choice 150 to 180 lbs. 14.25 to 14.65; some steady at 14.00 ceiling, complete clearance. Shippers took 2,000.
Salable cattle 27,000, total 27,000; salable calves 1,500, total 1,500; fed steers and yearlings, including yearling heifers, 25 to 50 cents lower, run excessive and liberal supply yarded late, suggesting sizeable holdover; top steers yearlings 17.40; bulk steers 13.00 to 16.25; bulk heifers 15.85; bulk 11.75 to 14.75; cows steady to 25 cents, mostly 25 cents lower; most beef cows 9.00 to 12.50; good offerings in broadest demand at 13.00 to 14.00; canners and cutters 6.00 to 7.00; bulls 25 cents lower 9.50 to 12.50 with best sausage offerings around 13.00 and fat bulls around 11.00; vealers steady at 15.50 down; thin stock cattle in negligible supplies.
Salable sheep 9,000, total 12,500; active, steady, most good and choice fed woolled western lambs 15.50 and 15.60; three loads 15.40; three loads just good lambs 15.25; medium and good 14.40 to 15.00; good and choice yearling wethers 13.50; with yearling ewes discounted 1.00; cull to good native ewes 5.50 to 7.50; choice quoted 7.75.

WHAT STOCK MARKET DID
New York, Jan. 8 (AP)—Mon. Sat. Advances 658 237
Declines 150 369
Unchanged 143 292
Total Issues 951 828

GOVERNMENT BONDS
New York, Jan. 8 (AP)—Closing prices:
2½s, 53-49, 107-4.
2s, 5-45, Dec., 100-15.
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Grand Marais

Grand Marais—Parmer Masse who spent the holidays with his wife and daughters in Detroit has returned to Grand Marais. Mrs. Masse expects to return next week.

Miss Irene Masse is visiting relatives in Pentwater. Mrs. Ruben LeClair and son, Philip, who spent the past two weeks visiting at the Uno Mixon home, have returned to Racine, Wis.

Mrs. E. Hulbert and grandson, Ronald, have returned from Sturgis where they had been visiting relatives.

B M 1/c Charles Probst has returned to Sturgeon Bay, Wis., following several days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Manley Probst.

Sayre Ostrander and Edward Hurst were business callers in Munising Friday.

Mrs. Charles Bleckner left Thursday for Marquette to attend the marriage of her son, Francis, to Rosemary Smeltzer, which took place on Saturday. Francis is stationed with the Coast Guards in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

Milton Touzel, Sr. has returned from Rochester, Minn., where he went through the Mayo Clinic.

Bernard Bugg and Mr. and Mrs. Shultz who visited at the Bugg and Ollie homes during the past two weeks, have returned to Jackson.

Mrs. Pauline Tomkiel has returned from several weeks visit in Newberry with her daughters, Mrs. Charles Beaulieu and Mrs. Russell Pelletier.

S 1/c Richard Mulligan, son of Mrs. Elfreda Mulligan, who has been stationed at the Alameda Air Base for the past two years has been transferred to Treasure Island where he is doing guard duty.

His wife, the former Carolyn Roberts, is living in Oakland, Calif. where she is employed.

Mrs. William Vaudreuil who spent the past two weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Soldenski, has returned to Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Hermaling and son have returned to Detroit following a visit at the John Ylimaki home.

A daughter was born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Roberts, at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pettiphen who have been visiting relatives in Detroit and Fair Haven for the past several weeks returned home Thursday.

John Masse Jr. has returned to Waukegan, Ill., following several weeks visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Masse.

Mrs. Leonard Isaac and daughter have returned from Newberry where they had been visiting Mr. Isaac who is confined at the Newberry Clinic following an automobile accident which occurred near Newberry two weeks ago. Coast Guard Isaac was not injured as seriously as had first been reported and is expected to be discharged from the clinic shortly.

Miss L. Bovy who has been a guest at the John Masse home for the past week has returned to Waukegan, Ill.

Sayre Ostrander Sr. Funeral services for Sayre Holister Ostrander who died at his home here Sunday, Dec. 31, were held at the family home Wednesday afternoon, the Reverend Knute Saveroid of Munising officiating.

The deceased, who had been a resident of Grand Marais for the past 44 years, was born in Milan in 1872, and came here from Onota where he had been a public school teacher. A graduate of Central State Teachers College, he continued teaching here and later went into the drug business with his brother, also a drug merchant at Marquette. He was married to Jessie M. Hurst, of Flint in 1911, and the couple had made their home here continuously since that time.

He held public elective offices for more than 20 years, including that of treasurer, public school examiner and township supervisor which office he held at the time of his death.

He is survived by his widow and one son, Sayre Jr., a brother, DeWitt of Maybee, Mich.; a nephew, Col. Forrest Ostrander of the Fletcher General Hospital, Cambridge, Ohio, and two grand daughters.

Out of town relatives here for the services were: Mr. and Mrs. Luther Riggs, Big Rapids, and Edward Hurst of Grand Rapids.

NEEDED LOTS OF FOOD

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The family of Mrs. Eraline Elliot wishes to express their heartfelt thanks and sincere appreciation to all the kind neighbors, relatives and friends who so kindly assisted them during their recent bereavement. Special thanks are extended to the pallbearers, those who sent floral and spiritual offerings, those who furnished cars, or in any way manifested their sympathy.

THE FAMILY OF MRS. ERMALINE ELLIOT. 442-9-11

Legals

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING—The annual meeting of the stockholders of STATE BANK OF ESCANABA, Escanaba, Michigan, for the election of directors and the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting, will be held at the banking house of said bank at 1108 Ludington Street, Escanaba, Michigan, on January 9, 1945, at 9:30 o'clock in the forenoon. The polls of the election will be open until 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon.

WM. WASHINGTON, Vice President and Cashier. 338-Dec. 20-31, Jan. 4-7-9

Kipling

Kipling—The honor roll for December as announced by Mary L. Cretens, principal is:

Scholarship—Seventh Grade, Rosalie Brock, Joan Constantino, Newton Johnson, Evelyn Lake, Betty Miller.

Sixth grade, Raymond Gibbons, Beatrice Nebel, James Gagner.

Perfect Attendance—Eighth grade, Mary Smith. Seventh grade, Rosalie Brock, Joan Constantino.

Sixth Grade, Grayce Beck, Raymond Gibbons, Harold Berg, Helen Smith, Beatrice Nebel, James Gagner.

Little Dickie Cowell of Days River is confined to his home with a severe cold. Mike Gibbons of Kipling was in Brampton Saturday to do some repair work in the school building.

Nahma

Mrs. A. S. Miller left yesterday morning for Chicago where she will visit enroute to her home in Boston, following a visit at the home of her brother, R. B. VanCleave.

Miss Ruth VanCleave left yesterday to return to Milwaukee where she attends the business institute, following a holiday visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. VanCleave.

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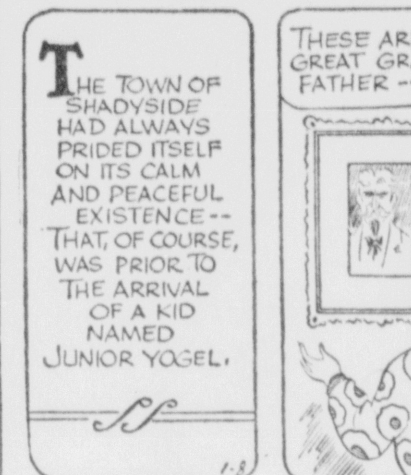
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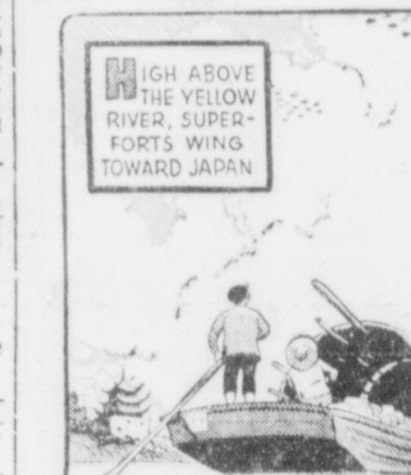
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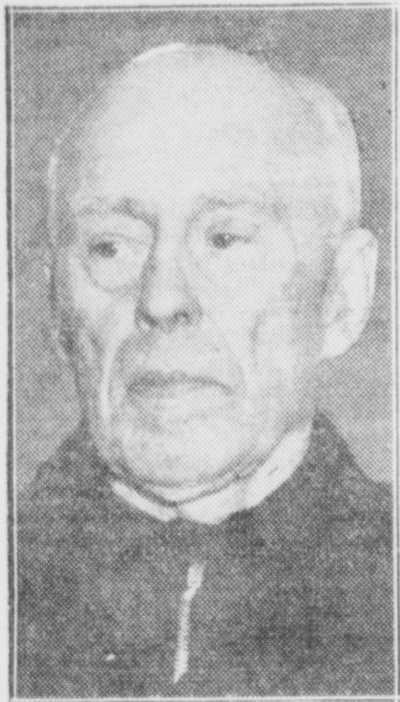
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RANSFORD WAY, CORNELL, DIES

Funeral Services Will
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Afternoon



RANSFORD WAY

Ransford B. Way, 88, died Sunday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock at his home in Cornell, following a two months' serious illness. He had lived in Cornell, where he farmed, for the past twenty years. He was born in New Brunswick, Canada, April 4, 1856.

Surviving are four sons and three daughters: Allan, Willard and Earl, of Cornell; Tyler, of Wells; Mrs. T. K. (Alberta) Bowers, of Cornell; Mrs. G. (Gertrude) Nelson, Escanaba; and Mrs. G. (Jennie) Gardner, Escanaba; three brothers, Melvin, of Cornell; Guilford, of Wayne, Mich.; and Alburn of Sudbury, Ontario, Canada; and twenty-two grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Anderson funeral home chapel, where the body is in state. Rev. Birger Swenson of Calvary Baptist church will officiate. Burial will be in Lakeview cemetery.

Lions Club Hears Sheehan Describe Membership Value

Ralph Sheehan, Marquette, international director of Lions club, last night urged the Escanaba Lions club to take full advantage of the opportunities offered such an organization in community service, and at the same time advised that a strong membership is a backbone of the club.

All clubs at this season of the year "should take inventory of its accomplishments of the past year, determine where it can strengthen its organization, and establish goals for the coming year," Sheehan said. Although Lions International is now at the highest peak of membership in its history, it is necessary to maintain an active and vigorous membership to meet the challenge which will come with the postwar period.

He praised the interest of the Lions club in community affairs, and suggested that where opportunities present themselves for community service they should not be delayed in being put into execution.

Sheehan was introduced by Gust Asp, chairman of the club's membership committee. The club this month will conduct a drive for new members, with four club teams competing for awards.

In discussion during the business meeting it was proposed the club inquire into the city's postwar program to determine whether construction of a beach house at Ludington Park was to be given priority on the list of projects. A. D. LaBranche was named chairman of a committee to urge the city council to place construction of the beach house first on the park improvement program.

Rapid River

The fire department was called to the Congregational parsonage Wednesday noon. Rev. Gerald Smith had been thawing frozen water pipes with a blow torch, which he had done on previous occasions, about half an hour after coming out of the cellar he noticed smoke in the house, upon investigation he found the cellar on fire, presumably a spark from the torch lodged in the packing around the pipes. Small damage was done.

Pfc. Elmer Sjostrom arrived Dec. 29 from Langley Field, Va., called by the serious illness of his wife. Mrs. Sjostrom is at present improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Pearson and Carl Thunberg of Iron Mountain were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stone Anderson on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Roy returned from Duluth where they spent several weeks. Mr. Roy, who was filer at the Diamond Piling Co. mill is now employed at Big Bay. Mrs. Roy expects to move there as soon as the house being prepared for them is ready for occupancy.

Pfc. Russel Ross arrived Dec. 17 from Percy Jones hospital, Battle Creek for a 30 day visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ross.

Mrs. Martha Proehl returned to Stonington after spending the holidays at her home in Maplewood. She is staying with her

News From Men In The Service

Sgt. Gunnar Granholm, who was wounded in action in France on November 18, and is now hospitalized in England, writes to his sister, Miss Ina Granholm, 327 North 11th street, as follows:

December 29, 1944
"Well, it's been a long time since I wrote a letter, so here goes. First of all I hope you all had a Merry Xmas. I had a good one. Good care, candy, turkey dinner, and best of all, in a warm place instead of out in the cold. I am feeling first class and my leg is getting better. I got two pieces of shrapnel that went through it and broke the little bone half way between knee and ankle on the right leg. Well I haven't got any mail here yet. The last I got was on the night of 17 November before I got hurt. Then I got a letter from you and a Christmas card from Elna. But it should be catching up to me soon.

"We are in England. I don't know how long it will be. I flew over from France. There were 24 of us on this plane. It was just like being on a boat. If you didn't know you were on a plane you would swear you were on a boat."

Mr. and Mrs. John Norlin of Soo Hill have received word that their sons, Lt. Arthur Norlin and Lt. Arvid Norlin, spent two days together during the Yuletide. Lt. Arthur, who is now in France, flew over to Lt. Arvid's unit in Belgium. The brothers were invited out for a Christmas day dinner of turkey and other good food. They write that the Belgian people are very hospitable and anxious to do anything for the American soldier. "To be together was an enjoyable time," their letter reads, "and we hope that Christmas of 1945 will be spent on Soo Hill."

Gordon Michau, who is serving in the European theatre of war, has been promoted from Private First Class to Staff Sergeant and is now leader of a squadron, his mother, Mrs. Joseph Michau, of Rapid River, has been advised.

With the 32d Infantry Division, the Philippines—For killing three Japs and silencing an enemy machine gun, which action required him to expose himself to enemy fire three times, Staff Sergeant Royal Taylor, of Bark River, Mich., has been awarded the Silver Star Medal by Major General William H. Gill, commander of the 32d Infantry division.

Sergeant Taylor was in a forward observation post situated 200 yards outside the defense perimeter. At about 9 o'clock in the evening, he saw a group of the enemy approaching along the beach trail. He held his fire until the enemy were within 10 yards of his position. Then he killed one of the Japs and the others withdrew.

The Japs then directed light machine gun and small arms fire against his position. Disregarding his personal safety, Taylor left his well concealed position to telephone the position of the enemy to his mortar squads.

When he returned to his fox-hole, the enemy again approached his position, and Sergeant Taylor again held his fire until they were within 10 yards. He wounded one Jap, then his rifle jammed, but the Nips had withdrawn. Sergeant Taylor again exposed himself to enemy fire to procure another rifle. He killed another Jap, and his rifle jammed again. For the third time he left the protected position, and getting another rifle returned through enemy machine gun and rifle fire.

By his accurate fire, he silenced the enemy machine gun, and killed another Jap. The decoration will be presented at a later date.

Millard F. Birk, of 708 South 15th street, Escanaba, Michigan, now stationed at The Ordnance School, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., was recently promoted to Technician 3rd Grade. His present address is 39 Ordnance Company (MM) Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland.

Pfc. Raymond Viaw, U. S. Army, son of E. Viaw, Schaffer, Mich., was among recent guests at the United Nations Service Center on Union Station Plaza, Washington, D. C. The center is primarily designed for transient personnel of the United Nations armed forces, officer and enlisted, men and women, and their immediate families.

With the 96th Division in the Philippines—Private Leonard Fedrow of Escanaba, Mich., a member of Major General J. L. Bradley's 96th "Deadeye" Division, has been awarded a Bronze Star for heroism.

Pvt. Fedrow, an infantryman, is the husband of Mrs. Mary Fedrow, 1306 North 16th St., Escanaba. His citation states:

"On Oct. 27, 1944, Pvt. Fedrow voluntarily and under extremely heavy mortar and machine gun fire helped evacuate the casualties of another company. His exemplary coolness and courage under fire were instrumental in saving the lives of a number of men."

Receive Card From
"Missing" Son
Trenary—Mr. and Mrs. William Smith have received a card from their son, Richard, who was reported missing in action in August, stating that he was well and healthy.

daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Sigfrid, while Mrs. Sigfrid teaches school at Stonington.

STRANGE CARGO



Loaded tightly with men and materials teamed for death, LST No. 1025 pounded through the surf toward Jap-held Mindoro Island. Overhead, too, Death was heard, in the scream of spiralling bombs, in the rumble of shells, the whoosh of rockets. But deep in LST No. 1025, a new life sparked, and as the ship fulfilled its mission and

withdrew from Mindoro's beach, it had a new passenger—tiny, squawling Juanita, just-born daughter of Maria Demilin, a Mindoran Filipino woman. Above, in the ship's sick bay, the mother looks on as Navy medical men chaperone Juanita's first few minutes of life. (Navy photo from NEA.)

Obituary

MRS. ROSALIE A. FOSTER

Funeral services, very largely attended, were held for Mrs. Rosalie A. Foster Sunday afternoon, at 2 o'clock at the family home and at 2:45 o'clock at Zion Episcopal church at Wilson. Rev. George Weiser of Iron Mountain officiated, assisted by Rev. James G. Ward. The pastor's text was: "Where the mothers go."

The choir sang three hymns, "Just As I Am," "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," and "Asleep in Jesus." Mrs. Roy Bagley was accompanist. Burial was made in the Wilson cemetery. Pallbearers were Walter Bagley, Edward Hakes, Earl Kell, Clarence DeMars, Louis Toussaint and John Cavades.

Those attending the rites included Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Rick and Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Menominee; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gustafson and Caroline and Violet LaBresh, Perkins; Mrs. Donald McNeely, Iron Mountain; Grace Foster, Milwaukee; Robert Foster, Stockton, Calif.; Mrs. Armond Ranguette, Mishicot, Wis.; George Heim, Marinette; and Mr. and Mrs. Werner Olson, Mr. and Mrs. Orten Degeneffe, Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Farrell, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Benette and Mrs. Mauritz Rosenquist, Escanaba.

MRS. ERMALINE ELLIOT

Funeral services for Mrs. ERMALINE ELLIOT were held at 9:30 o'clock Monday morning at St. George's church in Bark River, Rev. N. M. Stehlin officiating at the requiem high mass. Burial was in the Bark River cemetery.

Pallbearers were six grandsons, Charles Heath, Richard Dufresne, Edward Olson and Robert, Howard and Willard Elliot.

Those from out-of-town at the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Heath, Mrs. Florence Dufresne, Jean and Paul Dufresne, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heath, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Olson and family, Frank Champion, Larry Champion, Edward St. Antoine, Mrs. Eugene Ethier, Mrs. August Chouinard and Mrs. Ben Peltin, Escanaba; Mrs. Joseph Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Elliot, Mrs. Carl Swanson, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Elliot and family, Arthur Elliot, Iron Mountain; Mrs. Helen Subada and Laura Elliot, Two Rivers, Wis.; Jean, Lois and Rita Elliot, Milwaukee; Mrs. Melvin Jergensen, Kenosha; Mrs. W. Wesley, Green Bay; Audrey Elliot, H. A. 1/c, WAVES, Shoemaker, Calif.; Mrs. Howard Baker, Milwaukee; Mrs. Joseph Villeneuve

PUBLIC GIVES VIEWS ON CARS

Many Won't Buy Post-war Autos If 25-30 Per Cent Higher

Detroit, (P)—Announcing the results of a nationwide survey of car owners, R. L. Polk & Co. reported today that 76 per cent of the owners declare they will not buy new cars if the retail selling price is 25 to 30 per cent higher than pre-war levels.

At the same time 53 per cent of the nation's automobile dealers asserted their belief that price increases will have "very little effect" on the postwar new car market.

R. L. Polk & Co. for many years has been statistician for the industry. The answers in the survey just completed were obtained from 30,000 car owners and 10,000

and Aldrick Villeneuve, Ishpeming; Mrs. Homer French, Nahma.

CARL G. BERGQUIST
Final rites for Carl G. Bergquist were held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Bethel Lutheran church in Stonington. Rev. Carl J. Hammar conducted the services, which were very largely attended.

The pastor spoke on "I have cut off like a weaver my life," from Isaiah, 39th chapter, 12th verse. Mrs. A. J. Olson sang "Rock of Ages" and "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere." She was accompanied by Mrs. John Anderson.

Burial was in Lakewood cemetery at Stonington. Pallbearers were Edward, Herbert, Frank and Albin Hanson, Victor Pearson and Eloy Johnson.

Those from out-of-town at the funeral were Mrs. August Olson, Gladstone; and Hilda Pearson of Arlington Farm, Va., and Ethel Pearson, Brooklyn, N. Y., both of the WAVES.

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Traffic At Straits Increased In 1944

St. Ignace—Automobile traffic on the state ferries in 1944 showed an increase of 15.6 per cent over 1943, according to figures of Commissioner Charles M. Ziegler.

In December 4,942 cars and trucks were transported across the Straits of Mackinac as compared to 5,129 carried in the previous December.

Ferries handled 16,387 more motor vehicles last year than they transported in 1943.

Following is a table of comparative figures, representing vehicular traffic on the state ferries.

Month	1943	1944	Inc.
January	3,260	3,888	628
February	2,537	3,122	585
March	3,780	3,773	*7
April	5,609	4,426	*1,183
May	8,147	7,371	*766
June	9,607	10,203	596
July	13,433	18,237	4,804
August	14,248	20,321	6,073
September	10,292	13,618	3,326
October	7,467	8,870	1,403
November	20,983	22,827	1,844
December	5,129	4,942	*187

Totals ... 105,211 121,598 16,387
(*) Decrease

Kimberly-Clark Chairman Retires

Neenah, Wis. (P)—The Kimberly-Clark Corp. has announced the retirement from active duty of F. J. Sensenbrenner, chairman of the board, after 53 years of service.

Sensenbrenner, who recently observed his 80th birthday, joined the corporation in February, 1889, and in 1942 resigned as president to become chairman of the board. He will remain as a member of the board of directors.

The industrialist said that he planned to devote his time to his public interests and private affairs. He is a member of the board of regents of the University of Wisconsin, member of the board of governors of Marquette university, a trustee of Lawrence college, Appleton, and a trustee and member of the executive committee of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company.

Ford Motor Given Another War Order

Detroit, (P)—The Ford Motor company announced today it had been given additional orders for 30,000 combat and transport vehicles.

The new orders cover production of Universal-Carriers, light armored cars and jeeps.

When Ford completes the jeep contract nearly 300,000 of that type of vehicle will have been manufactured by the company.

Grandma Switches Millions of Mothers To Her Mutton Suet Idea For Chest Colds

Pioneer grandma liked to "rub mutton" with a "home rub" containing mutton suet. Such a rub was her "old reliable" for relieving chest muscle tightness, soothing bronchial irritation, loosening phlegm, checking coughing, easing sting of chapped lips and nostrils. Today science has modernized this principle with Penetro, the salve with a base containing this same old fashioned mutton suet, plus 5 active ingredients—so now Grandma's old idea is switching millions to this newer relief that is being hailed all over America.

You'll like Penetro the first time you feel it spread smoothly on chest, throat, back—its mutton suet makes it melt instantly, vanish quickly. It gets to work 3 ways at once to make you and your children

more comfortable—(1) Penetro relieves colds' pain as its mutton suet helps carry medication to nerve ends in the skin. (2) Relieves muscular tightness and congestion through counter-irritation (increased blood flow). (3) Loosens phlegm, eases coughing through pleasant inhalation of instantly released vapors.

You'll feel relief so quickly—as painful misery eases, coughing is lessened, phlegm loosened, chest rawness soothed. You'll rest more comfortably, give nature a chance to restore vitality through sound sleep. That's why so many mothers thank Grandma for her idea—praise science for perfecting it—and buy Penetro at drug stores everywhere. Relieve your chest cold miseries as millions are doing—today get your jar of white, easy-to-use Penetro.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF

The Bark River State Bank

of Bark River, Michigan, at the close of business Dec. 30, 1944, a State banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

ASSETS	Dollars	Cts.
Loans and discounts (including \$223 overdrafts)	\$	94,039.77
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	400,993.83	
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	300.00	
Corporate stocks (including \$1,050.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	1,050.00	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	178,633.48	
Bank premises owned \$450.00, furniture and fixtures \$803.29	1,258.29	
Real estate owned other than bank premises	925.00	
Total Assets	\$677,200.37	

LIABILITIES	Dollars	Cts.
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$243,112.79	
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	358,518.45	
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	1,012.50	
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	24,849.92	
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	7,613.03	
Total Liabilities	\$635,106.69	

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	Dollars	Cts.
Capital	\$	25,000.00
Surplus	11,000.00	
Undivided profits	6,093.68	
Total Capital Accounts	42,093.68	

Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts

* This bank's capital consists of: Common stock with total par value of \$25,000.00.

I, E. J. Bergman, of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. J. BERGMAN, Cashier.
Correct Attest:
BENJ. E. DOUGLAS,
B. R. ERICKSON,
Directors.

State of Michigan, County of Delta, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of January, 1945.
B. J. PAQUETTE, Notary Public.
(SEAL).

Reserve District No. 9

R. J. KEZETTI WAR CASUALTY

Escanaba Boy Missing In
Action In Belgium
Since Dec. 17

Technician Fourth Grade Raymond J. Kezetti, son of Mrs. Edmund Millette of 507 North 18th street, has been missing in action in Belgium since Dec. 17, according to a telegram received by the mother from the war department.

T/4 Kezetti was born in Escanaba Oct. 23, 1919, and attended school at Escanaba and Sault Ste. Marie. He returned to Escanaba in 1936 and enlisted in the Michigan National Guard company organized here.

In 1940 he left that company for Camp Alexandria, La., for training, and for a time was stationed

at Camp Livingston before his transfer to New York prior to embarking for overseas in June, 1942. In England he was assigned to an army engineers division and was with the invasion forces that landed on the coast of France on June 6, 1944.

He has three half-brothers, Edward, Elmer and Lester, at home, and a half-sister, Mary Jane Millette, who resides at Sheboygan, Wis.

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